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PHIPPS ASKED

TO RESIGN PLACE AS STATE OIL INSPECTOR

But He Declines to Yield Graciously to Demand of Governor.

BILL RODGERS IS BULL HEADED.

Both May be Removed Pending Final Action by Senate.

Governor Harmon Refuses to Discuss Matter at Present.

Columbus, O., April 16.—State Oil Inspector William H. Phipps has declined to resign his office and has notified Governor Judson Harmon to that effect. This notification was formally made in writing in response to the official note of request which was sent him by the chief executive.

The exchange of letters followed a conference at the capitol a week ago in which the governor signified his desire for the state oil inspector's resignation.

The action can mean only that the republican heads of state departments have decided to resist removal at the hands of the governor, and will depend upon the republican majority in the senate to hold them in their places.

Under the law the governor is required to report to that body all removals and suspensions for approval. State Fire Marshall William Rodgers, like Mr. Phipps, has announced that he too, will remain in his office and will resist ousting.

In political circles it was said that Inspector Phipps unwittingly was armed with a powerful weapon by the governor when that official in his letter said that he had nothing against the official actions of that officer.

The law requires that such officers can be removed only on charges filed. Indeed they can be suspended only until such time as the senate meets, when the matter must be transferred to that body. If it should decide that the charges are insufficient the officer is automatically restored to his place and the substitute appointed by the governor is ousted.

Can Plead the Letter.

In this case Mr. Phipps can plead the letter of the governor as an indorsement of the conduct of his office. It is understood that in the talk at the capitol Governor Harmon told Phipps that he considered the inspectorship a political position, and that he wanted it for his chief of staff, William L. Finley, who, he drolly said was tired of walking and wanted a horse to ride.

So far as the inspecting of oil is concerned it is generally understood that this is a farce, and that the governor is right in saying that it is purely a political perquisite.

There is no known way of testing gasoline, and yet the state gravely collects thousands of dollars in fees annually for making invisible tests of its admitted dangerous inflammability.

There is now nothing left for governor Harmon to do but to remove these departmental heads and take his chances with the senate.

Behind the action of Mr. Phipps there is said to be some important republican organization politics.

One of the things discussed is the rooted determination of Charles P. Taft not to be a candidate for the United States senatorship against General Charles Dick in 1910.

Had he remained in the fight, so the rumor goes, Phipps would have stepped out quietly and devoted himself to the building up of a legislative machine in the interest of the Cincinnati man.

Will Awaken Sympathy.

His resolution to remain and be ousted from the office will awaken sympathy for him and aid him in his effort to be recognized for an appointment at the hand of President Taft.

The place which he is said to have in mind is the commissionership of internal revenue, now held by John G. Capers, of North Carolina. It is stated that earlier in the year Mr. Phipps had the refusal of this position and declined to accept it because of the proposed Taft organization. His way is now clear to take it, granting that Governor Harmon tosses him out indeed.

Phipps had a meeting with Chas. W. Bieser, of Dayton, who came through this city enroute home from Washington, where he had been to reply to the strictures made upon him by Oscar Robbins and Chairman R. R. Nevin, of the Montgomery county committee, in the collectorship scandal as the hearing before President Taft and the two United States Senators from Ohio.

No doubt Bieser was the bearer of important information to Phipps, who as stated, has been called upon for an explanation. It was said this evening that the inspector went to Dayton with Bieser to talk it over.

Governor Harmon declined to discuss the inspectorship matter, asserting that nothing of an official character had taken place that would warrant the making of a statement.

ARKANSAS

Proposes to Stop Advertisements of Liquor Business.

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—A bill which makes it possible to vote Arkansas dry by the vote on local option has been introduced in the house of representatives of the Arkansas legislature. If the majority vote on license of local option, the bill provides the state shall be "dry."

Another prohibition measure prohibiting newspapers with liquor advertisements or any person where advertising liquor in "dry" territory has been introduced also.

WILLIAM CARTER HUNG FOR MURDER.

Louisville, Ky., April 16.—William Carter, a negro, was hanged in the jail yard here at 5:59 this morning. Carter was condemned to death for the murder of William Walker, a foreman at the Mengel box factory.

Governor Wilson last night commuted the sentence of William Green, another negro, who was to have been hanged with Carter for killing a negro, to life imprisonment.

SEARCHERS FOUND AN INSCRIPTION.

Los Angeles, Calif., April 16.—Major Fred R. Burnham, commander of the Scotch forces of the British army during the Boer war, who for several weeks, in company with Professor Charles F. Holden, of Pasadena, has been searching for ancient relics in Sonora, Mexico, has discovered an inscription carved in stone in the Yaqui river valley, presumably by the noted Mayas people of Yucatan. The inscription is probably more than a thousand years old and is of great interest to anthropologists. Some pottery of the Mayas was also found on the spot and brought to Pasadena by Prof. Holden, who will forward it to the Smithsonian institution. The Mayas were a celebrated people centuries ago who attained considerable degree of civilization in literature and art, building beautiful cities and public improvements.

GUESTS OF LODGING

House Thrown Into Panic by Fire and Twenty Are Missing.

MANY RECEIVED MINOR INJURIES

In Frantic Efforts to Escape. Building Was Burned Down.

San Francisco, April 16.—Three hundred guests of the St. George hotel, a lodging house in Howard street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, were thrown into a panic by a fire which completely destroyed the building, a three story frame structure, shortly after 3 o'clock this morning. While it is not known that any lives were lost, it was reported by the clerk that at least twenty of the guests could not be accounted for. Six men were severely burned, one probably fatally, and many received minor injuries by leaping from the upper stories or by being trampled in the rush to escape. The seriously injured were hurried to the Central emergency hospital for treatment, and the other few of whom saved their clothing, were housed in nearby lodgings.

Corporal Fontaina and Policeman Judger discovered the fire and dragged many of the guests from their beds. There were scores of narrow escapes. The building burned rapidly and within an hour was a ruin.

Those most seriously injured were: —— Cartwright, Salem, Oregon, probably fatally burned; Patrick Guerin, John Neil, John Erison, John Potts, John Main.

Most of the guests were laboring men.

USUAL CAUSES LED TO SUICIDE.

Akron, O., April 16.—Clement A. Barnes, who committed suicide in Battery Park, New York, last night, was in business here many years establishing the Black Bear Hat store, a leading mercantile establishment. He was quite wealthy, but lost his fortune in the last few years through unfortunate speculation and drink. The death of his wife's daughter several years ago caused him to go to pieces. He moved to Danbury, Conn., about two years ago.

BILL TO PROHIBIT FUTURES.

Washington, April 16.—Representative Scott yesterday introduced in the house a bill to prohibit the dealing in the futures of wheat, cotton and other agricultural products.

MUCH FATIGUED WITH DAY'S WALK.

New Castle, Ind., April 16.—Edward Payson Weston arrived here at 11 o'clock last night in a hard rain, apparently much fatigued. He started out again this morning at 5:52 for LaPorte.

La Porte, Ind., April 16.—Weston passed through here at 9:40 a. m. Though he seemed somewhat fatigued he kept up a good gait and expects to reach the outskirts of Chicago tonight.

NINE MEMBERS

OF LOWER HOUSE OF THE JAPANESE DIET

Arrested on Charges That Are Reputed Based on Bribery.

GREAT UNREST AT THE CAPITOL.

Investigation of Sugar Company Regarded as Primal Cause.

Decline in Its Stock Ruined Many Including Some Foreigners.

Tokio, April 16.—A tremendous sensation developed here today with the arrest of nine members of the lower house of the diet, the nature of the charges being withheld. It is believed, however, that bribery in connection with the recent difficulties of the Japanese Sugar company is alleged, and there is great unrest in the capitol, as it is stated that some members of the upper house are liable to arrest.

The directors resigned and an investigation of the affairs of the company followed. A series of questionable transactions were disclosed and the stock dropped from 50 to 90 points as a result of the exposure, a large number of people including many foreigners meeting financial ruin in the slump.

It is generally believed that the investigation of the sugar company resulted in the exposure of bribery in the diet.

FLOUR PRICES BOOSTED.

Minneapolis, April 16.—The sustained bull market in wheat has resulted in the boosting of the price of flour in Minneapolis until first patents now sell at from $6 to $6.20 a barrel, or about two dollars a barrel more than prices long prevailing here.

HANGED HIMSELF IN COUNTY JAIL.

Cleveland, O., April 16.—Failing in an attempt to kill his wife with a butcher knife, Joseph Beres, an Austrian hanged himself in the county jail where he was taken on an insanity complaint. Beres made a noose of his bandkerchief and hanged himself to the bars of his cell.

SPECTACULAR RESCUES MADE.

New York, April 16.—More than ten spectacular rescues were made by firemen early today during a blaze in a six story tenement house at 204-206 East 10th street. So far as is known all the tenants escaped. Deputy Chief Callahan fell from a ladder to the street and was injured, though not necessarily fatal. The fire started in a laundry on the ground floor. A number of horses in the cellar was burned to death.

JONES WILL BE WARDEN.

Columbus, April 16.—T. B. Jones, of Ironton, doubtless will be the new warden of the penitentiary. This was decided upon at a conference held by the new board of managers and several democratic leaders close to the governor. Jones is a hotel owner and twice a democratic candidate for congress.

SCIENCE JUNIOR SLIGHTLY BURNED.

New Haven, Conn., April 16.—C. B. Winslow, of New York iCty, a Yale-Sheffield science junior, was slightly burned by a fire in his rooms in the Cloister annex last night. Winslow who rooms with John Hays Hammond, Jr., was asleep and was awakened by the fire and before he could make his escape was slightly burned. The fire, cause unknown, was confined to the one apartment and did about $1,000 damage.

WHOLE QUESTION BACK TO GOMPERS.

Washington, April 16.—The condition of the unemployed working men of the country and practical means of finding employment for this class under federal, state and municipal governments was the principal matter discussed at today's session of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. The whole question was referred to President Gompers for further consideration and action. The appointment of two fraternal delegates to represent the federation at the convention of the Farmers' National Union and the American Society of Equity was approved by the council.

POLICE CALLED FOR PROTECTION.

Cleveland, April 16.—Fearing there may be trouble when the steamer John W. Gates attempts to leave here tomorrow, A. Ramsey, local shipping master for the Lake Carriers' Association, has asked the local police to protect the non-union engineer. The Gates will be the first boat to leave here this year and is said to have a full crew.

CIGARETTE [illegible] AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Minneapolis, April 16.—With the signing of the anti-cigarette bill by Governor [illegible] the cigarette slaughter [illegible] in Minneapolis and from [illegible] until the finish. August 1, [illegible] of the "independent" variety aim to get rid of his stock. [illegible] will be no standard price. [illegible] will sell at any figure he [illegible] fit.

FRIENDS [illegible] TO [illegible] MARION.

Chicago, April 16.—A move to secure the pardon of Marion Grey, the young woman [illegible] to one year in the Bridewell [illegible] Judge Landis on the charge of [illegible] the mails to conduct a [illegible] bureau has been started, [illegible] which it is said, will be [illegible] by a lengthy petition has been written to President Taft by [illegible] convicted woman's family physician [illegible] that a pardon be granted on the ground that she is physically unable to stand a year at hard [illegible] in the house of correction.

RELEASED [illegible] BAIL.

Cleveland, April 16.—Ellis Bartholomew, [illegible] Toledo, found guilty here Tuesday of using the mails to defraud [illegible] released on $3,000 bail. [illegible] result of this Bartholomew has spent 24 hours in jail.

PROGRESSISTA WING

Of Minority in Philippine Legislature is Out on Strike

AGAINST WHAT THEY CLAIM WAS

Arbitrary Action in the Matter of Payne Bill.

Manila, April 16.—The members of the Progresista wing of the minority in the Philippine legislature, which withdrew from the assembly April 10, as a protest against what they claimed was arbitrary action in the matter of the Payne tariff bill are still on strike. Although the majority has a quorum [illegible] action and the speaker is conferring with the strikers with the hope of inducing them to return to the sessions. The trouble began when the question of adopting the report of the conference committee on the tariff rose. The minority committee had presented a report favoring the adopting of certain features of the insular commissions resolution which urged the adoption of the tariff measure by congress, but the majority refused to receive their report. There upon the Progressists struck.

BULLETIN.

Topeka, Kas., April 16.—Indictment were returned here today by the federal grand jury against the Cudahy Packing Company, of Kansas City, on 737 counts for defrauding the government of $80,000 by violations of the internal revenue laws.

GREAT CROWDS SAW WRIGHT FLY.

Rome, April 16.—Wilbur Wright made three successful flights in his flying machine near here today, remaining in the air, ten, eight and seven minutes respectively. He was accompanied each time by an Italian army officer. A great crowd witnessed the exhibition.

RESORT BURNED.

Richmond, Va., April 16.—The Mecklenburg hotel, a resort and sanitarium at Chase City, valued at $200,000, was destroyed by fire early today. There were no casualties.

SMOKE BLESSING TO THIS WORLD.

Chicago, April 16.—Smoke is a blessing to the world and a boon to health, according to a statement by W. P. Rand, coal magnate in reply to an address by Secretary E. R. Fritchard of the board of health declaring it a nuisance. "This talk about smoke being a curse is all nonsense," declared Mr. Rand. He declared that smoke was a good thing for the world. "Take the coal operator who is at all times breathing not only smoke, but coal dust in addition. His lungs are black with both and yet he is one of the healthiest men in the world. In all my experience among coal operators I know only one who died of tuberculosis. Smoke is a boon to health. As the smoke ascends it kills the germs of all kinds."

TEXT

Assigned Presbyterian Preachers For Sunday, May 9.

New York, April 16.—The Rev. Chas. Stezell, superintendent of the Presbyterian department of church and labor has requested the 11,000 pastors in churches of his denomination to discuss some phase of the labor question on Sunday, May 9. This day has been designated as labor Sunday by the American Federation of Labor and was made a calendar day in the Presbyterian church.

MILLER WEARY

HE DEMANDS STATE ATTORNEY GIVE REASONS

At Once Why Mrs. Boyle Should be Held in Jail.

SHE WILL APPLY FOR HER RELEASE.

St. Louis People Unable to Identify Her as the Jewel Thief.

Plans Said to be Under Way to Hurry Up Both Trials.

Sharon, April 16.—It is reported that Mrs. James H. Boyle will be brought here from Mercer for a preliminary hearing some time today.

James P. Whitla, father of Willie, left today for Cleveland. His departure was sudden and it is said the visit is in connection with the kidnaping case.

It could not be learned, however, what Mr. Whitla intends to do at Cleveland.

Former Judge S. H. Miller, counsel for Mrs. Boyle, stated today that unless the prosecution produces the information and arranges for an immediate preliminary hearing for the woman, he will go into court Saturday afternoon and apply for a writ of habeas corpus and demand her release. He says Mrs. Boyle was committed improperly to the Mercer jail and that Sheriff Chess has nothing upon which to hold her.

"I have not taken technical advantage of the prosecution in any way," said Attorney Miller, "but will do so if the district attorney does not make some move. I don't propose to allow Mrs. Boyle to remain in Mercer jail until the May term of court if I can help it. If the prosecution shows the information on which she is held, Mrs. Boyle will waive a hearing."

Attorney Miller also said that Mr. and Mrs. P. C. H. Dyer, of St. Louis, failed to recognize Mrs. Boyle as the maid who disappeared with $6,100 worth of jewelry from their home in September, 1907.

Mercer, Pa., April 16.—It was ascertained today that no such action contemplated by former Judge Miller, counsel for Mrs. Boyle was possible either today or tomorrow. Attorney Cochran, acting for the county and Mr. Whitla, and Sheriff Chess left Mercer this afternoon and neither will return until late Sunday. The woman cannot be given a hearing in their absence.

Last Saturday court adjourned until next Monday, when the grand jury meets, so that Judge Miller cannot go into court and make his habeas corpus motion.

It is said Mrs. Boyle will be given a hearing early Monday at this place before Justice of the Peace McCain. The grand jury will then be in session and it is proposed to take the case of Mrs. Boyle and her husband immediately before that body.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyle will be tried separately. Boyle's trial will be called first, and in case a true bill is found against Mrs. Boyle her trial will follow immediately.

It is said that plans are being perfected to rush both trials.

HE PICKED HIS WAY TO LIBERTY.

Atlanta, Ga., April 16.—A. L. Frierson, white, sentenced in 1905 to ten years imprisonment for manslaughter, has "picked" his way to liberty in an unusual manner. No saw, no file, bars or nitro-glycerine were used. No shackles were broken, no steel bars were molested. But with his banjo Frierson picked his way to liberty.

His banjo picking attracted the attention of Rev. Frank Lee.

"No man with that much music in his soul," said Dr. Lee, "could be a criminal," and he circulated a petition for Frierson's release.

Yesterday Governor Smith signed Frierson's parole and today he will cast aside the stripes and begin anew in an effort to live up to his pledges of reformation.

WITHOUT INCIDENT.

Washington, April 16.—President Taft and his military aide, Captain Bull, returned to Washington, at 7:12 this morning. Mrs. Taft remained in New York for a brief visit. The trip was without incident.

CALL MONEY EASY.

New York, April 16.—Money on call easy 1¾@2 per cent rate 1¾; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2.

Time loans dull and firm.

FULTON DECLINES MISSION TO CHINA.

Washington, April 16.—President Taft received the telegram sent yesterday by Former Senator Fulton, of Oregon, stating that his regretted personal affairs would prevent his acceptance of the mission to China which was tendered to him ten days. No other name has been considered at the white house with reference to the post.

PATTEN

Busy Buyer After Wheat Pit Was Opened.

Chicago, April 16.—Following yesterday's sensational market wheat on the board of trade was nervous at the opening today. Patten was said to be a buyer.

July opened ¼ to ½ lower at $1.16 to $1.16½. May unchanged to ⅛ cents lower at $1.27¼ to $1.27⅝ and September ¼ to ½ cents higher at $1.06½ to ⅝.

The story that Mr. Patten has employed a body guard has no foundation. The colored man alleged to occupy this position, has been at the same door receiving visitors' cards for a generation. He was there before the name Patten had become one to conjure with.

WAR VETERAN HIT BY ELECTRIC.

Columbus, April 16.—George Bartley, aged 65 years, a veteran of the civil war, was instantly killed today at Asheville, Pickaway county, by a car on the Scioto Valley Traction line. Mr. Bartley was crossing the street and failing to see the fast approaching car, some one called to him. He turned his head and saw the car bearing down on him but seemed to be paralyzed from fright for he made no effort to get out of the way and was ground to pieces. He leaves a widow and three children.

RAN TO STREET IN NIGHT CLOTHES.

Buffalo, April 16.—Michael McGarvey was fatally burned in a fire in a rooming house early today. An explosion of gas in McGarvey's room started the fire. Roomers on the second floor ran to the street in their night clothes, while it was necessary for the firemen to place ladders and carry several women and children from the third floor. One woman and a child were seriously burned, but will recover.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN

Arrested at Detroit on the Charge of Making and Having

SPURIOUS COIN ON HIS PERSON.

Claims He Was Only Working as Inventor and Not to Defraud.

Detroit, Mich., April 16.—William Peabody, a crippled eccentric old carpenter and veteran of the Civil war, pleaded guilty yesterday when arraigned before United States Commissioner Finney on the charge of making and having in his possession moulds and counterfeit coins.

Six counterfeit silver dollars, some half dollars and quarters and some moulds and other counterfeiting paraphernalia were found in the veteran's room on Seventeenth street. He was held under $5,000 bail for trial in the United States court.

Peabody, who was ambitious to become an inventor, was working on several models, and declared when arrested, that he had never attempted to pass any of the counterfeit coins and never intended to. He declared that he did not know that he was committing any offense and that he was entirely alone in the work, never having seen any counterfeiting done by anybody else.

FARMER SUICIDES.

Youngstown, O., April 16.—Levi Crumm, 77 years old, a wealthy Austintown farmer, committed suicide last night by drowning himself in a pond on his farm. The water was but two feet deep and Grumm knelt on his hands and knees in the pond in order to get his head under water. Mr. Crumm had been in poor health for some time.

RECITAL.

Great interest is being taken by the members of the Women's Music Club in the recital which will be given tonight at the Congregational church. The singers will be Mrs. Maud Wentz Macdonald, contralto and Mrs. Edith Sage McDonald, soprano, both of Columbus, and a fine program has been prepared. Each member is allowed the privilege of inviting three guests, and the program will begin at eight o'clock.

FOUR MEETINGS OF PROTEST HELD.

St. Louis, April 16.—Concentrated opposition by organized commercial, financial and manufacturing interests of St. Louis to a state-wide prohibition amendment began in earnest today when four meetings of protest were held. Committees were appointed to urge upon members of the state senate the danger to local interests in event prohibition was adopted and were instructed to call attention to the fact that 20,000 brewery workers would be thrown out of employment in this city alone and that millions of dollars of invested capital would be lost to the state.

The organizations which met today were:

Executive Committee of the Business Mens' League; Board of Directors of Merchants' Exchange; Board of Directors Missouri Manufacturers' Association; representatives of banks and trust companies.

FINANCE SALE

THAT HAS SEMBLANCE OF CROESUS IN IT.

Methodist Preacher Rolls Up Big Fortune in Five Years.

THROUGH ILLNESS OF HIS DAUGHTER

He Went to New Mexico, Where He Purchased Large Ranch

At Tax Sale and Prosperity Then Came to Him in Bunches.

Chicago, April 16.—A formal real estate transfer just made in the routine of the county recorder's office reveals the story of a Chicago minister of the gospel who has gained a fortune of $5,000,000 during his spare time from preaching. Four years ago he left Chicago with slender means to nurse a daughter back to health. Today he is the owner of landed estates and an exclusive metropolitan apartment building.

The hero in this fairy tale of finance and religion is the Rev. Richard A. Morley, a Methodist Episcopal pastor, who was stated for several years in Chicago and Oak park churches. The story transpired in the purchase by the minister of an apartment hotel. In 1903, Mr. Morley in an effort to save his daughter from tuberculosis exchanged pulpits with a minister of Las Vegas, N. M. Shortly afterwards he purchased a ranch nearby at a tax sale and this was the beginning of his prosperity. He bought more land and sold it at a large profit and within two years was owner of a tract now worth $310,000. Branching out further he purchased a 1,000 acre farm near Kansas City, two in Wisconsin and two in Illinois. All this time he has never missed a Sunday in his pulpit nor a Wednesday evening prayer meeting. When he first removed to the west, he says he did not dream of entering into business transactions.

WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 16.—The senate committee on judiciary reported without the recommendation the Humphrey bill providing for statutory prohibition in Missouri. The measure will go on the calendar for engrossment, but its final disposition is uncertain.

PREFERS DEATH TO FACING TRIAL.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 16.—Suicide with carbolic acid was attempted last night by Grace Caldwell defendant in a suit for divorce brought by Lester Caldwell. When the case was called a messenger brought the news that rather than face the court ordeal, Mrs. Caldwell had drunk carbolic acid. A physician who hurried to her home, prevented her death. Hearing of the divorce case was postponed until her recovery. Members of Mrs. Caldwell's family say that when the date of the trial was set she attempted to choke her baby to death and to kill herself and that she has insisted she never would face the court.

TWO THOUSAND THEY PASSED OVER.

Harrisville, Mich., April 16.—Burglars last night blew the safe in the Alcona County Savings bank here and scaped with $5,000. The thieves overlooked $2,000 in currency. There is no clue as to their identity. The rear door of the bank was forced and the safe attacked with tools taken from the Detroit and Mackanaw car house.

LIKELY TO BE A TOTAL LOSS.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., April 16.—During the night the bark Lakeside went ashore near here on the west end of No Man's Land and is likely to prove a total loss. Her crew of ten men were taken ashore.

BRYAN

Prefers Not to be a Candidate For U. S. Senator.

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—Asked today relative as to a report sent out from Washington that he would be a candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator A. J. Burkett, of Nebraska, for re-election, William J. Bryan said:

"I will not say I will not under any circumstances be a candidate, but I would prefer not to be.

"There is no foundation for the report that I have decided positively to enter the race. I would rather have some one else nominated. We have a number of excellent democrats in the state who are worthy of the place and I would rather see some one of them elected than hold the office myself."

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ALTAR DEDICATION

With Administration of the Apostolic Rite of Confirmation

BY RT. BISHOP ANDREW LEONARD,

Who Complimented Christ Episcopal Church on Its Growth.

A large congregation filled Christ church last night on the occasion of the consecration of the new altar and the administration of the Apostolic Rite of the Laying On of Hands. The Bishop, the Right Rev. William Andrew Leonard, D D, arrived in Lima from Cleveland at 6 55, and proceeded immediately to inspect the altar. The bishop pronounced it a splendid piece of workmanship, of exquisite beauty and artistic simplicity. The altar was completed in Vermont and is of white Vermont marble with an almost indiscernible blue veins which enhances the richness of the whole. It is erected in memory of the late Senator Robert Mehaffey, warden and vestryman of the church when the lot was purchased and building erected thirty-one years ago. The memorial is the gift of the youngest son George E Mehaffey, who is also a warden of Christ church. The venerable widow of the late senator and members of the family were present. The choir, bishop and clergy vested in the rectory and proceeded thence to the church door led by Master Donald Mehaffey, son of Geo. E. Mehaffey, who is crucifier and carried the cross, and entered singing the processional hymn. The rector, Rev. Edward H Molony, officiated with the Bishop and after the Apostle's Creed and prayer the dedicatory service was begun with the singing of hymn 567 "The Son of God Goes Forth to War" ending with the words:

"They climbed the steep ascent of Heav'n
Through peril toil and pain
O God to us may grace be given
To follow in their train."

The service was impressive, the congregation and choir standing facing the altar while the bishop set it apart to the glory of God and for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. At the conclusion of the consecration the Doxology was sung spontaneously led by the organ, a fitting climax to the service.

The confirmation followed preceded by hymn 662, "I Need Thee Every Hour." Ten candidates were confirmed. In his address to the candidates Bishop Leonard emphasized the fact that they were not "joining the church" but ratifying and confirming their vows made when in Holy Baptism they became members of the church of God. He gave the confirmation as a motto the words "soldier of Christ" and instructed them on the "whole armour of God," reminding them that in confirmation they received the strengthening of the Holy Spirit for the christian warfare.

In his sermon on "Faith," the Bishop referred to the memorial altar and spoke of his many years of friendship for the late Robert Mehaffey, whose strength of character and positive attitude for everything that was right was well known in the community. He then congratulated the rector and congregation on the progress which was being made, that the work begun by the faithful was being carried on by their successors and especially on the erection of the new parish house which meant so much to the growth of the church in Lima.

The offertory was devoted to Diocesan Missions. The offertory anthem by the choir was splendidly rendered, the choir being at its best. At the close of the service the bishop held an informal reception - closing a notable service in the history of the parish.

NOTICE.

The meeting of the Auxiliary to the U C T, which was scheduled for Saturday, April 17th has been postponed until Saturday, April 24th, when it will be held at Eagle Hall. All members are urgently requested to be present. By order of president.

Frightful Fate Averted.

"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Kelliher Minn., "without Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Infallible for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures burns, scalds, old sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

LIMA MAN

Died at Toledo Hospital This Morning.

Word was received here this morning from Toledo that Mr F M Moon, whose family resides at 963 west North, had died in that city at four o clock this morning.

Undertaker H. W Bennett left on the morning train and will return with the remains to this city but no funeral arrangements will be made until his arrival here. Mr Moon had been an inmate of the Toledo hospital for more than a year past and was a man of perhaps sixty years of age at his death. He was taken ill with pneumonia over a week ago and the attack proved fatal. During his earlier years Mr. Moon had followed the occupation of carpenter but had not worked at his trade for several years.

Buy a suit at Special Sale tomorrow for $18.75 at R T GREGG & CO

THIEF AT WORK

Entered the Home of O. O. Barr Thursday.

A thief has been working successfully in the city, and succeeded in gaining an entrance to the home of O. O Barr, 124 south Collet street, Thursday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock. It is thought that entrance was gained by the use of a skeleton key. Mrs. Barr is in Robinson, Illinois, visiting a sister, and the thief evidently knew there was no one at home.

Mr. J. I. Kramer, who resides across the street, saw the man enter the house, but did not realize at the time that he had no right there. A full set of furs is missing.

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Ends in Death of One and Fatal Injury to a Second.

WERE DRIVING AT HIGH SPEED

When Machine Crashed Into Tree.—One of Party Fled in Panic.

New York April 16. An automobile ride of four young men ended in death for one of their number and fatal injury to another when a touring car in which they were driving at a terrific speed crashed into a tree in Central park at dawn today. Mathew Clark, employe of the Moon Auto Company, who was acting as chauffeur was crushed to death and Joseph Fogerty was thrown on his head on a concrete walk adjoining the drive way and suffered a fracture of the skull from which he is not expected to recover. Earnest Frear had his right leg fractured.

Joseph Hoyle, the fourth occupant of the car, fell upon the turf, and, abandoning his injured companions fled in a panic for the subway station where he was arrested.

Mr F. G Fritts, Oneonta, N Y, writes: "My little girl was greatly benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. Enterprise Drug Store, M M. Keltner, Prop.

MANIFESTO IS WELL RECEIVED.

Constantinople, April 16.—The manifesto issued yesterday by a committee of the Ulemas, in which movement in the last few days is declared to be in no way directed against the government has created an excellent impression on the public mind.

The new minister of marine, Vice Admiral Adjemin Pasha, has resigned owing to the hostility shown his appointment by the navy. The president of the council of state also has surrendered his office, but on account of ill health.

The minister of police and officers identified with the committee of union and progress have either resigned or disappeared.

During the spring every one would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

PHOEBE:
There's nothing like bread made from Gold Medal Flour. DUNDREARY.

FELTZ BROS. DRY GOODS COMPANY.

THE FELTZ BROS. DRY GOODS COMPANY IS GOING OUT OF BUSINESS. THE STORE HAS BEEN CLOSED FOR THE PAST FOUR DAYS DURING WHICH TIME I HAVE MARKED DOWN THE PRICE OF EVERY YARD OF GOODS AND EVERY ARTICLE OF MERCHANDISE THEY HAD ON SALE.

ALL THE GOODS MR. FELTZ HAD PURCHASED FOR THIS SEASON I MARKED TO SELL AT EXACTLY WHAT THEY COST. THE BALANCE OF THE STOCK WILL BE OFFERED AT CONSIDERABLY LESS THAN COST, REDUCTIONS RANGING FROM 20 TO 90 PER CENT.

SALE BEGINS TOMORROW MORNING AT 8 O'CLOCK AND CONTINUES FROM DAY TO DAY UNTIL THE ENTIRE STOCK SHALL HAVE BEEN CLOSED OUT.

NO GOODS ON CREDIT NOR SENT OUT ON APPROVAL.

WALTER M. COONEY.

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Petticoat Specials.

Gingham Petticoats, made of striped material, best 50c values, special **39c.**

Black Petticoats, made of lightweight imitation Heatherbloom, 75c values **50c.**

Black Petticoats made with extra deep flounce, light weight, $1.25 value, special **98c.**

Taffeta Silk Petticoats in black and the new spring shades, best $5.00 values, special **$3.98.**

Heatherbloom black Petticoats, the genuine article, worth $1.75, special **$1.39.**

Heatherbloom of Feathersilk Petticoats in black and colors, worth up to $2.50, special **$1.98.**

Saturday Embroidery Specials

Cambric Embroidery and Insertions, edges are up to 10 inches wide, regular price 12½c and 15c, special for Saturday 7½c.

Embroidery Shirt Waist Fronts in a great variety of patterns, made of sheer swiss cloth, regular price 75c, special each **50c.**

Good Hosiery Values.

Armour Plate Hosiery for boys and girls, guaranteed fast colors in black and tan, 15c and 25c.

Boys' Stockings in the regular and extra lengths, best made, 25c, 30c and 35c.

Ladies' Hose in black, tan and colors, best to be had at **15c.**

Ladies' mercerized lisle hose in black and tan, medium and very light weight, best values **25c.**

Everwear Ladies' Hose, best wearing hose made, 6 pairs in box, regular price $2.00, special per box, **$1.50.**

Ladies' fancy hose black and colors, pair **39c.**

See our new line of children's Mexican Straw Hats, biggest variety ever shown, priced at 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50.

FELDMANN & CO. THE STORE FOR NOVELTIES.

BOXING BOUT

Added to Curriculum of College Sports.

New York, April 16.—Six boxing bouts were pulled off in the gymnasium at Columbia University last night with such success that it is the intention of the management to arrange if possible for a duel boxing meet with some other university. This would be unique in college sports and would place boxing in the class with wrestling and fencing.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Enterprise Drug Store, M M. Keltner, Prop

LIQUID VENEER
For cleaning and dusting, reduces the labor of housecleaning one-half. Try a bottle, if not as represented your money refunded.
F E HARMAN

FORMER OIL MAN

Is Dead After Two Years Illness.

Last night shortly after eleven o'clock death came to Zach Pyle of 516 Ohio street, who has been suffering for the past two years with dropsy and heart trouble.

The deceased was born and raised in Pennsylvania and came to this city at the beginning of the oil excitement some twenty-five years ago. He was well known as a contractor and oil driller during his earlier years but had retired from business several years ago on account of failing health. He was born August 16th 1848 and was just sixty years of age at the time of his death. His wife and two children one son and one daughter, survive him.

There will be a short service at the residence on Ohio street tomorrow morning and the remains will be shipped on the nine o'clock train on the L. E & W to Portland, Ind where interment will be made following the regular service.

RANSACKED HOUSE

But Nothing Has Been Found Missing.

Someone entered the home of Falla Barnett 1132 west Market street Thursday night there being no one at home, and ransacked every drawer in the house, evidently in the search of jewelry or money. Investigation has failed to disclose anything missing.

Sick headache, constipation and biliousness are relieved by Rings Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.

One line fine White Shirt Waists on sale tomorrow, Special at... 98c
R T GREGG & CO.

Clothes Luxury for Gentlemen Without Extra Cost if You Insist on Hart, Schaffner & Marx Fine Garments.

Our entire efforts and all of our energy are directed towards the one aim, and that is to give you more style and a better fit with better materials for less money than you can obtain anywhere else.

Business men, professional men, college boys, the brainy chaps that are doing things, will find the models, styles and weaves to their liking this spring in **Hart, Schaffner and Marx Fine Clothes.**

It is to your advantage to know that right here in Lima at our own store you buy the best and most stylish clothes made in the world at prices that are right. **Suits $18, $20, $22, $23, $25, $27, $28, $30 and $35.**

For **$10, $12, $15 and $18** we sell suits that have not their equal any place for the price. The style is right, the materials right, and we serve you right.

Hats and Furnishings the very newest for this season.

A complete line of elegant Shoes—all new; no old stock. We can supply all your needs.

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PENCE AND SANFORD

Members of Grand Council of Royal Arcanum of Ohio

WILL REPRESENT LODGE OF LIMA

In Thirty Second Annual Session in Columbus, Next Wednesday.

The thirty-second annual session of the grand council of Ohio, Royal Arcanum, will convene in Columbus, at 9 o'clock next Wednesday morning with the following grand officers present:

Grand Regent, N. W. Leezer, of Dayton, grand vice regent, William B. Prenter, of Cleveland; grand orator, C. H. Sexauer, of Lancaster; sitting past grand regent, Charles T. Dumont, of Cincinnati; grand secretary, Thomas Butterworth, of Cincinnati, grand treasurer, W. H. Beese, of Ravenna; grand chaplain, Edward H. Brink, of Cincinnati; grand guide, Dr. J. C. Pence, of Lima; grand warden, J. M. Stone, of Oberlin; grand sentry, T. B. Tilkinson, of Toledo; supreme representatives, M. J. Sanford, of Lima, Chas. T. Dumont, of Cincinnati, and E. B. Leonard, of Warren.

Deputy Supreme Regent E. B. Belden, of Racine, Wis., will install the grand officers to be elected at this session.

The grand council is composed of its officers, standing committees, representatives from subordinate councils, past grand regents, and representatives and alternates to the supreme council. The state medical examiner, Dr. George M. Waters, of Columbus, also is a member.

At 7:30 Wednesday evening a class initiation will take place in Lima hall. Duty ix will be exemplified by a degree staff selected from the combined councils of Columbus, under the direction of D. W. Moccabee. This will be one of the most interesting and notable gatherings in the history of the order in Ohio.

In addition to the class initiation, the councils of Columbus have planned for a reception on the evening of the 26th, and closing the evening with a ball. There will be a theatre party and other special entertainment for the women.

ManZan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

DR. J. K. BANNISTER, DENTIST. AT HOME. ap3-2w

PLUCKY LIMA GIRL

Maintains Courage and Will Attempt Dangerous Act.

Miss Helen Merengarten, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Merengarten, of 712 west Elm street, who earlier in the week offered to accept Manager Will Williams' proposition to any woman who would enter the lion's cage at the Orpheum this evening, was still willing this afternoon to carry out her part of the agreement, provided the five wild beasts do not make it physically impossible for a human being to enter the cage, outside of the trainer. The attempts will be well worth witnessing even if the girl is not into the cage is blocked by crazed man-eaters. Little Miss Merengarten, when seen today, displayed a remarkable amount of pluck and was apparently as unruffled over the anticipation of tonight's trying ordeal as the average girl is over a new hat or gown.

BROTHER TOOK HIM FOR BURGLAR.

Emporia, Kas., April 16.—Griffith Hughes aged 18 years, died today as the result of having been shot last night by his younger brother, who mistook him for a burglar.

ORRINE
CURES LIQUOR HABIT

CURE EFFECTED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

If you know anyone who ought to be cured of the "Drink Habit" suggest to them to try the ORRINE treatment. You'll be doing them a "good turn" and they will some day thank you for having suggested it to them. You can recommend ORRINE to them with full confidence. It has been successfully used by thousands and is highly recommended by those who have used it.

H. F. Vortkamp, the leading druggist of this city, has been selling ORRINE five years and he says:

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ORRINE is prepared in two forms, No. 1, a powder, tasteless and colorless can be given secretly in food or drink. ORRINE No. 2, in pill form, is for those who wish to cure themselves.

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ECZEMA
CAN BE PERMANENTLY CURED.

If you are suffering from itching, burning Eczema, Psoriasis, Ulcers, Pimples, Salt Rheum, etc., you can go on treating yourself externally for the rest of your natural life, and at best you will get only temporary relief. This works out advantageously for the exploiters of patent remedies who claim that these diseases can be cured by lotions and ointments only. You may get ease for a while and when the disease reasserts itself you go back to your druggist and buy more of this same remedy and thereby bring grist to the mill of its manufacturer. But are you cured? You know best; you have tried. Dr. Taylor's treatment commences with the blood, attacks the disease at its source, as you would a polluted stream. If you have any doubt about it, take the treatment, and if it fails to cure you we will refund the purchase price. Send to our office, 1330 Arch street, Philadelphia, for booklet. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, Lima, O., and all first class druggists. mo-fri

PADDED CELL

Being Constructed at City Prison.

Workmen are engaged in padding one of the cells at the city prison, on the second floor, which will be used for prisoners who are in danger of harming themselves on the iron bars or stone floor.

Robert Pearce was arrested Thursday evening on the charge of drunkenness. Mayor Becker is out of the city, and the prisoner will be given until Saturday morning to sober up.

FURNITURE REPRODUCTIONS.

We have the finest line of reproductions of Colonial and French styles of furniture ever shown here. We are showing at moderate prices ranging from $25.00 to $50.00. We have beautiful matched suites with Napoleon beds, in both mahogany and Circassian walnut. It will pay you to see the beautiful things we have in stock before you make your spring changes.

F. E. HARMAN.

Object to Strong Medicines.

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more than nine out of every ten cases are of one or the other of these varieties. When there is no fever and little (if any) swelling, you may know that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. Try it. For sale by all druggists.

INDUSTRIAL HOME PUT ON BLACK LIST.

Columbus, O., April 16.—Probate Judge Black conferred with Governor Harmon today, about conditions at the Girls' Industrial Home near Delaware and made suggestion relative to its management. The state board of charities will ask the probate judges of the state to refrain as far as possible to making commitments to the home.

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT.

In considering the speed of a steamship it must be remembered that a knot, or nautical mile, is a very different thing from a land mile. A mile is 5,280 feet while a knot is 6,086 feet and a fraction. Therefore, when a vessel makes 23.05 knots an hour it passes over very nearly twenty-seven land miles.

The biggest map in the world will be constructed by the celebration committee on the south side of Queensboro bridge, in New York. It will be 3,724 feet long and sixty-nine feet high. The principal towns and cities affected by the bridge will be shown by green lamps electrically lighted, and at night it can be studied at almost any point along the East river.

The Maharrajah Gaekwar of Baroda has melted down and converted into bullion the celebrated gold and silver cannon of Baroda. Of these costly but useless toys, the silver guns were the inspiration of a former gaekwar. In order to 'go one better' than his predecessor, the late gaekwar had the gold guns cast, and mounted at a cost, it is said, of $500,000. They repose in the state armory, and were the wonder and admiration of all visitors to the capitol.

Of Arabia's climate a writer says: "The desert air is extremely dry and clear, always invigorating and even the great heat in summer is not as insupportable as in a damper climate where the thermometer is probably lower. Climate has, without doubt a great effect on the human character and intellect and the nervous, high-strung temperament of the Arab is to a great extent the creation of his environment of desert, with its splendid mirages to fire the imagination and sparkling air to keep the nerves always alert."

MILLERS RUINED BY WHEAT BULGE.

Chillicothe, O., April 16.—Following the rise in grain prices an involuntarily petition in bankruptcy was filed by the Moresfield Milling Company of this city today.

HOLDERS OF MONEYS

To Meet in Annual Convention at Toledo in Rose Month.

NEW STEAMER, THE HERMONIC,

Engaged to Take Party on an Outing Trip to Soo and Return.

The Ohio Bankers' association will meet this year in annual convention at Toledo, June 14 and 15. Headquarters of the association will be at the Hotel Secor, and after the adjournment of the convention the convention visitors will board a fine new steamer for a tour of the Georgian Bay district and a visit to Sault Ste. Marie.

The decision on the time and place of the meeting was reached at a meeting of the council of administration, held in Columbus. All of the members of the council, with the exception of four, were present. The committee, consisting of George P. Jones of Findlay, Fred J. Woodworth of Cleveland, and Stacey B. Rankin of South Charleston, appointed to investigate several propositions for an outing trip, reported that the new steamer Hermonic of the Northern Navigation company, just completed at Collingwood, had been secured for the trip.

The steamer is one of the finest on the great lakes and the trip with the bankers will be her first voyage. She will accomodate over 400 persons comfortably and the bankers will have the entire and exclusive use of the boat. Included in the trip will be staterooms and meals enroute and there will be no additional expense after leaving Toledo.

The tentative program mapped out by the council of administration provides for the first session of the convention at the Hotel Secor, Monday afternoon, June 14th. A second session of the convention will be held Tuesday morning, and it is believed that all of the business may be closed up by the early afternoon. Late in the afternoon the Hermonic will be boarded and will leave Toledo between 4 and 5 o'clock.

The trip will be to the Soo, passing through the picturesque North channel of Georgian bay. The stay at the Soo will be long enough to visit all points of interest and the return will be made so as to arrive at Toledo early Saturday afternoon, in time to take the train for home. As this will be the maiden trip of the steamer, everything will be in the best possible order and the steamer is large enough that there will be no overcrowding.

The council appointed Messrs. Woodworth, Jones and Rankin as a program committee, and they will begin at once to arrange for the speakers and other details of the convention. The convention program will be most interesting and the speakers will be men of national reputation in financial circles.

CARPETS are much more in demand this spring than for a long time. Many people are tiring of rugs and realize that a fully covered floor for parlor or library are more homelike. We are showing all the newest things in carpets with beautiful borders to match at prices from 75c up to $3.00 per yard.

F. E. HARMAN.

Attend the Suit Sale tomorrow at R. T. GREGG & CO.

OUR CARPET AND RUG STOCK is the finest ever. We invite you to inspect our special offerings for Housecleaning time.

F. E. HARMAN.

GOOD WAY TO DO BUSINESS.

In ordering a 50c bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at 25 cents, Wm. M. Melville is giving one of the greatest trade chances ever offered to the people of Lima.

Even though offered at half-price for introductory purposes the specific is sold under a guarantee to cure or the money will be refunded.

If food does not digest well, if there is gas or pain in the stomach, if the tongue is coated and the breath bad, if there is constipation and straining, Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not, you have druggist Wm. M. Melville's personal guarantee to return your money.

This remarkable remedy comes in the form of tiny granules, and can be carried in the vest pocket or purse. It is very popular in New York City, and it is not unusual to see someone after a meal at one of the large hotels or restaurants, take a dose of this specific, knowing that it will prevent the uncomfortable feeling which frequently follows a hearty meal.

Dr. Howard's specific gives quick relief and makes permanent cures of constipation, dyspepsia and all liver troubles. apr 9-16

NOMINATION BALLOT.

Counting Ten Votes.

For Miss or Mrs. .....

Address .....

District Number .....

In the Times-Democrat Tour-of-Europe Contest, subject to conditions governing contest.

Ballots to be counted must be cut out, carefully trimmed around border and deposited unfolded.

This Ballot Void after April 17th.

Use this ballot to nominate and vote for a friend in the Tour-of-Europe contest.

LOEWENSTEIN. | 28-30 Public Square. | LOEWENSTEIN

Style----

Is the Essential Element in Modern Life and a Good Appearance is a Real Asset.

Any reputable maker of good clothes can give you a satisfactory amount of wear in his garments. 'Tis not the question of wear—'tis the question of STYLE that is paramount; then why not use your good judgment and select the clothes that give you Style, Service, Character, Individuality and that pleasurable tinge of being in absolute fashion—in perfect accord with good taste—with the progressive spirit now so manifest in men's wearables.

SCHLOSS BROS. & CO.
OF BALTIMORE AND NEW YORK.

These Celebrated Master Tailors have been the leaders of style for more than a third of a century. They design—they create—they are the head masters of the tailoring craft. Why select the work of the copyist—the copy is never as good as the original.

We are exclusive agents for these celebrated Clothes; they cost no more than ordinary.

A large assortment of Men's Suits at $10.00, $12.00, $13.50, $15.00, $16.50, $18.00, $20.00, $22.00 and $25.00.

A large assortment of Young Men's Suits at $8.00, $10.00, $12.00, $13.50, $15.00, $16.50, $18.00 and $20.00.

A large assortment of Boys' Suits, sizes from 7 to 16, at $1.50 to $6.00.

Come let us show you—no obligation to buy—our pleasure to show. We love to show these clothes; we love to parade on them—and you will when once you see these new style creations and see the new Spring 1909 models.

Men's Furnishings—for the sporty chap or his more conservative Daddy. The new Shirts, Neckwear, Underwear and Hosiery for spring wear are here. Lowest value is the best bargain and that's what we offer you.

Take Your Choice---They Are Here for You.

Railroad fare refunded on all purchases from $10.00 and up.

A Cheerful Greeting Awaits You at Our Store.

LEON LOEWENSTEIN,
Clothier, Furnisher and Hatter. 28 and 30 Public Square, Lima, O.

Money Refunded If Purchases are Not Satisfactory.

THE TOWER.

The Hardin Consolidated Oil Co. of Ada, capitalized at $10,000 is the name of a new corporation formed by W. B. Wilson and others of Ada, to drill for oil.

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Henri Rochefort, the fire-eating editor of L'Intransigeant, has made an effort to ascertain the wifely characteristics most desired by the average Frenchman. He asked how in the opinion of his readers, the following thirteen good qualities in a woman should be graded in point of importance: Beauty, kindness, courage, constancy, fidelity, good nature, brightness, frankness, cleverness, wealth, health, wit, and talent. Some 20,000 men sent in answers and the result is surprising.

It might be thought that a Frenchman, or, indeed, a man of any other country, would put wealth or beauty first but no, the majority put wealth about half way down the list, and beauty last of all. Neither idealists nor realists were prepared for such a result.

The quality regarded as the most precious of all is health. Then comes courage. Frankness comes fourth; then follow wit, fidelity, wealth, and constancy. Last but one comes good nature, and last of all beauty.

Of the 20,000 replies only 342 placed beauty among the first half dozen desirable qualities.

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Judge R. M. Wanamaker, of Akron, who, a few years ago, was a resident of this city, will resign from the common pleas bench May 7th to become a member of the Cleveland bar.

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The proposition to elect her United States senators by popular vote has been defeated in Connecticut, the people evidently not desiring to assume any responsibility for what may happen in the upper house of congress.

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Tools are those handy things one uses on the garden and lawn, and in house cleaning.

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There is only one way to accomplish the elimination of the Chicago bucket shop, and that is to first close up the Chicago board of trade. Through it the bucket shop has its being.

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Postmaster Campbell has caught the public play-ground idea and daily entertains the city's mongrel dogs on the government lot to the rear of the postoffice. Fourteen at one time this afternoon.

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W. N. Bressler, who fell some days ago while trimming trees, has discovered that the cause of the pain from which he has been suffering, is a rib which was fractured in the fall. He did not know that he had sustained any serious hurt and did not call a physician until the pain became so acute that he was forced to do something. Relief from the pain has been afforded by the care of the physician but the break will not heal for some time.

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There is a national movement among the Knights of Columbus of America to secure the appointment of another member of President Taft's cabinet to be known as the secretary of health has been started here. A committee of the Cleveland lodge has been appointed to write letters to all the councils of the organization asking their aid in the agitation.

FASHION'S LATEST FANCY!

Bronze Kid and Calf Stock--the New Leather Which Retains the Exquisite Luster of the Bronze.

This stock presents a distinctive appearance impossible to get with many other leathers. We are showing this handsome leather in Oxfords and Pumps for women, misses and children. The east is very enthusiastic over this stock. It's almost impossible to supply the demand in the larger cities. We are prepared to meet this demand in Lima.

Women's Bronze Oxfords, $3 to $4.
Children's Bronze Pumps, $1.50 to $1.75.
Misses' Bronze Pumps, $1.75.

GOODING'S
230 NORTH MAIN STREET.

$50,000 FOR FIGHT.

Beaumont, Texas, April 16.—James Gossett, of this city, today wired an offer of $50,000 for the Johnson-Jeffries fight in the event the match is arranged.

SISTERS BUT NOT IN TOUCH.

Louisville, Ky., April 16.—Mrs. M. W. Campbell, a sister of Mrs. Julia C. Cabanne, of St. Louis, whose seven year old grandson is reported to have been kidnaped in St. Louis yesterday said today that she knew nothing of the whereabouts of the boy. The Associated Press telegram was the first information she had that the boy was missing.

Mrs. Campbell said today she did not know where her sister was and that she had not heard from Mrs. Cabanne for several years.

SWAN'S SPECIAL SALE SATURDAY

Sweet Pea Seed 3c per pkg. Large Pansy plants in bud and bloom 3c each, 35c dozen.

GROSS NEGLECT

Charged in Diorce Suit Filed by Iva Murdock.

Iva Murdock has filed suit for divorce from her husband Leo, in which she states that they were married March 27, 1904, and that two children were born to the union. She alleges that the defendant has been guilty of gross neglect of duty in failure to provide for herself and the children for the past two years, and further that he has lived separate and apart from them for the past seven months. She asks for a decree, custody of the children and alimony.

SIGNAL SERVICE WORK FOR SUMMER.

Washington, April 16.—Training of men in the army signal service in the science of military aeronautics will be carried on this summer not only at Fort Myer, Va., but at Fort Omaha, Neb. Two officers and a number of enlisted men have been detailed for the work at Fort Omaha this summer and probably this number will be increased later.

SUSTAINED PROGRESS.

New York, April 16.—Dispatches to Dun's Review indicate well sustained progress in the business situation although recovery is naturally slow. Easter trade was generally satisfactory in all sections.

Jerry.

The cassowary is a bird
That's hard to capture, very
Folks hunting for her plumes have made
The cassowary wary.

—Kansas City Times.

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WEATHER—UNSETTLED.

Washington, April 16.—Ohio: Unsettled with local rains tonight or Saturday.

TOO MANY OF THE KIND.

(Portsmouth Times.)

There are too many grandstand players. We have them in every walk of life. If you watch a baseball game you will see a fellow who wears a loud sweater and who poses in the field He will run like a deer when it is unnecessary. When he makes a poor slide he gets up and limps away as though he was badly injured, and if he had not been he would have made the base. The grandstand player is in church and in the lodge. When things are quiet and there is only the mid-week prayer meeting, the grandstand player has nothing to say. But when the church is full and something is up Mr. Grandstand Player is sure to get up, and with a flourish of trumpets make a great bluff. He's at church socials and tells all about it. He never does any work, and he manages to get his hands on all the honors floating around. He never gives a cent to any good cause without first standing on top of his house and yelling so the town will notice him. The grandstand player works hard to fool the people and thinks he is fooling the Lord. He may occasionally make his bluff work with some unsuspecting brother, but he hasn't fooled the Lord for a second.

THE DANCE AS AN INTERPRETER

(Cleeland Leader.)

The Frenchman who remarked, "What cannot be said, can be sung, and what cannot be sung can be danced," was wise in his own generation and with his own people. There he stopped. He had no spirit of prophecy. He never dreamed of the vast expansion which would come to linguistics of the legs.

The stage has done great pioneering in this seltatorial way. It has pushed the boundaries of interpretation into the wild woods of poesy, and there are a score of girls, in various parts of the world, wearing little clothes or none, according to the rulings of the police, who interpret, through wavings and writhings and kicks and weird muscularity, everything from the Rubaiyat to the milk-and-waterisms of Wordsworth.

It is, however, in the domain of private life that the growth and utility of the language of the limbs is to be best shown. The normal and the orchidaceous affairs of life are to find such expression that future anatomists may scratch their polls over the uses of the tongue and the vocal chords as they do now over the purpose of the spleen.

As a sample of the present powers of the dance, the case of Eleanor Puffer may be cited. She is the wife of Rev. C. H. Puffer, of Salem, Mass., and, differing with him on domestic affairs, planned a "trial divorce" of three years, two of which have now passed, before any steps for a legal separation were made.

For a year she has been working on a dance which will express this "trial divorce" and picture "the soul burnings brought about by a transition from a highly ecstatic plane of companionship to the sphere of voluntary isolation." She is not to dance into it, however, any mention of Mrs. E. A. Sumpty, who was a domestic in their house, for she agreed to hold her tongue about the woman when she left her husband.

After this psychic interpretation the commoner affairs of life will be easy. Lawyers will dance their pleas and the judges, moving in stately saraban ies, will leg their decisions; presidential candidates will two-step their platforms on a platform. Bedelia the cook will gallop her resignation castanneting the while with broken china; while belated husbands will explain to waiting wives, in a wavering bacchic dance with a popping-cork accompaniment, that they were entertaining a friend from Chicago at the club.

Still, as certain conditions present difficulties to speech, Cannon and Aldrich will have hard work to devise a dance to explain away sleepers in the tariff bill, and what will Tom Johnson do when he tries to show to November voters why it is the proper caper to feed Municipal directors on champagne and suckling pigs and make the street railway boys pay fares to and from their work?

PEOPLE GROW THIN AND WEAK

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THE PIONEER SNAKE STORY CONTEST

When a child, some sixty-five or three years ago, we were living in the round log cabin with the rail fence in front. The day was beautiful, the sun bright, and everything lovely, when suddenly all these things were forgotten because of the fright caused by a large mountain snake crawling in our door. It was about two feet long and was killed by my mother. It had two ridges lengthwise the whole length of the body making quite a depression along the backbone. We hung it on the rail fence and it was a curiosity that people came quite a distance to see. This was in Bath township, on the Sandusky road, but when I was married fifty years ago, we moved into the round log cabin in which my husband was born in Auglaize township, near the Marion road. The logs were rotten and lizzards numerous. The house was in a field and a small creek branch ran through the field. This was a wet weather branch and there were two old wells by it at different points to hold water for stock during the dry part of the year. There were many snakes along the branch and the first Sunday after we moved there several of our neighbors came to visit us. The men went along the branch and killed five red bellied black snakes and burned them in a stump. Daniel Moyer and son planted the field to corn and when they were cutting the crop in the fall I was at the well at the house drawing water when I heard a scream. Looking up I saw a large red bellied snake spring at young Moyer's arm. It missed that but caught hold of the corn in his arm with its teeth and hung there until the old Mr. Moyer came and cut the snake in two with his corn cutter. They were both very much excited, for they said the Indians considered its bite certain death to the one bitten. This last snake mentioned was a large one of the kind. We did not measure it but would say it was between three and four feet long. No part of this story is imaginary or exaggerated, but it is the truth.

MRS. J. C.

The writer was born on a farm in Richland township, about midway between Bluffton and Beaverdam, in the year 1875, and resided in that locality for a number of years after with my parents.

During our residence in the country I and a younger brother, being about 7 and 5 years of age respectively, had an experience with snakes that I believe will bear reciting.

The parental home at that time was located in the corner of a wood tract and clearing and it was our daily custom to visit the woods in search of any small game that might perchance stroll in our way. One warm summer day we started out on one of our jaunts, armed with a hatchet as our only weapon, which we had on previous occasions, used for different purposes. Becoming somewhat fatigued on this particular day, we sat down on a fallen log to rest.

Shortly after seating ourselves we heard a curious noise nearly under where we were sitting, and upon a hurried examination we were horrified to see the head of a large snake protruding from a hole in the log. With one blow from the hatchet the reptile's head was severed from its body, and upon making a further examination and cutting a large hole in the log we found that we had discovered the resting place of a large family of snakes, which came wriggling out of their home in droves, of various length, ranging from four to twelve inches. Being in our bare feet we were in not a very desirable position for a slaughter, but we sailed into them, and when it was all all over we had 80 dead snakes lying scattered about the ground. The mother snake was about three feet in length and on revisiting the scene the next day we succeeded in killing the other parent snake which had returned to its home to find it demolished.

O. E. G.

While engaged in logging thirty-five years ago with Polk Ridenour, we went to the woods one Sabbath day to lay out our work for the next day. In one lot we found six walnut logs we were to take to the saw mill. The tree while standing had been struck by lightning, and a groove cut out of its body without breaking the bark. While looking at the logs we saw the heads of three blue racers sticking out of this groove at the end of one of the logs. We frightened them back out of sight and then gathered paw-paw leaves, packed them tightly into the opening at the end of the log and went home best on having some sport out of our find. The next morning this log was put on my wagon and after Polk had his on we started for the loggery, knowing that about the time we arrived they would be ready for a fresh log. This we found true. My log was put on the carriage immediately and the first slab was cut off the deficient side, the saw buzzing through the opening. The slab broke and out sprang six blue racers in front of the scared sawyer. Three of them escaped, and three of them were cut to pieces and fell at the feet of the sawyer, a wriggling, writhing mass.

DEACON RIDENOUR.

THE GIRLS WERE FOOLED.

Many years ago in Western Ohio stories were told of snakes invading residences and curling up in cozy corners of private parlors and bed rooms of farmers' homes. One case of this kind is here related.

The daughter of one of the pioneer farmers of Allen county had as her guest a young lady from the Eastern part of the state, and as they were about to retire for the night, they entered their bed chamber by the dim light of a tallow "dip." One of the girls declared she saw a huge black snake curled up in a corner of the room and in affright ran for the door. The other badly scared yelled for help. Two of the male members of the family came and having been told that a cruel serpent had ensconced itself in the sacred precinct, procured sticks and proceeded to strike the head of the supposed intruder. But, lo, there was no sign of life in the "snake." Upon closer examination the cause of all the commotion was an innocent belt worn by ladies. The buckle and the brass eyelets appeared to the terror stricken girls like the head and eyes of a snake. The incident caused much amusement in the neighborhood.

ELBURTUS.

TRAFFIC DIVISION

Of Central Electric Meeting Here.

A meeting of the traffic division of the Central Electric Railway Association convened this afternoon at the Lima House for a two days' session.

Delegates numbering twenty or more are here, and Mr. Neereamer, secretary of the association, presided at the afternoon meeting. Mr. A. A. Anderson, of Louisville, Ky., is president but has not arrived yet today. Little business has been transacted, but the men are getting in working order and discussing and working on the new uniform tariff rate which has been before this division the entire winter.

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CINCINNATI AND RETURN.

The C., H. & D. Ry. will run their first Baseball Excursion to Cincinnati, Sunday, April 18th. Tickets will be good on trains leaving Lima at 1:00 a. m. and 5:35 a. m. Returning tickets will be good on trains leaving Cincinnati at 5:30 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. Rate $1.50 for the round trip.

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NOTICE.

Attention, Royal Neighbors. All officers and members are requested to be present at our regular session at our hall, on Saturday evening, April 27th. There will be initiation. By order of Oracle and Record Keeper.

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PNEUMONIA

Caused Death of Mrs. Orin North.

Pneumonia has claimed another pioneer in the person of Mrs. Orin North, the mother of Mrs. W. L. Neville, who has been in a critical condition for several days past with the prevalent disease. Though it has been only ten days since the first attack, the disease has been so severe that for the last week her recovery has not been looked for.

The deceased was past seventy-four years of age, and is survived by her husband. She was a most estimable and highly respected woman who had the love and friendship of the community in which she lived.

Funeral services will take place at two o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence four miles southeast of Waynesfield. Burial will be made at Walnut Hill cemetery near Hampshire.

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AT THE FATAL AGE.

If workingmen want to know something about the ravages of tuberculosis is causing in their ranks they should send for Bulletin No. 79, just issued by the bureau of labor, department of commerce and labor, and read what Mr Frederick L. Hoffman an expert on this subject, discovered in his investigations.

Some medical men have been saying that an average of one workingman in ten dies of consumption. That would be bad enough, but Mr. Hoffman makes the startling declaration—after carefully studying conditions in forty-two occupations—that nearly 15 per cent of all males who die at 15 years or over are victims of consumption.

But the mortality in the so-called dusty trades is truly alarming. A fraction less than 37 per cent of the workers employed in occupations where they inhale metallic dust, such as metal polishers, brass workers, printers, etc., are carried away by the white plague. The workers among whom the highest death rate from consumption exists are the grinders just about one-half of them becoming victims of the disease.

The most dangerous period, according to this governmental expert, is between the age of twenty-five and thirty-four years. The proportion of deaths from consumption for that age group is 57.2 per cent among those exposed to metallic dust, a condition that is almost beyond belief. The mortality lists among those exposed to mineral dust, such as stonecutters and vegetable and fiber dust, as weavers and garment workers, are slightly lower.

Mr. Hoffman estimates that by the adoption of intelligent methods of ventilation and dust removal alone fully 22,238 human lives could be saved annually. Figuring the economic value of a human life at the low rate of $200 a year this expert shows that the economic gain to the nation would represent the enormous total of $68,493,000 as the aggregate annual financial value in the probable saving in years of adult human life.

OUR GROWING RACE.

The measurements by scientists of college men brings out the interesting fact that the American college athlete of today is a much larger man than his dad was, and is constantly growing more so.

The average height of the Yale athlete today is an inch and a half more than it was five years ago, he is twenty-two pounds heavier with three inches more chest development and forty-two cubic inches more lung capacity. The average height of Yale athletes is now 5 feet 9.9 inches, and their weight 170.5 pounds. At an examination of Harvard athletes last fall, Professor Sargent found that they were an inch taller and from four to five pounds heavier than were the students of thirty years ago.

Spindle shank and hollow chest are no longer the marks of a professional man. Investigations in London, Vienna and St. Petersburg show that the professional classes in these cities are increasing in height and weight every year. From measurements of the Fellows of the Royal Society of England and a large number of the English professional classes, it was shown that they are almost five inches taller and thirty-seven pounds heavier than a corresponding number of idiots and imbeciles in England; lunatics are nearly two inches shorter and ten pounds lighter while criminals are 2½ inches shorter and about eighteen pounds less in weight than the average of the British population.

A few years ago a measurement of 30,000 soldiers in Italy showed a height average of less than 5 feet 3 inches. The general average of all classes in this country is greatly reduced by the great number of short-statured immigrants coming here every year, which for a while will tend to keep down the general average, but the increase in the stature and strength of the second generation of aliens in the United States is surprising.

This is as it should be, health is the nation's first concern. The old truth about a sound mind in a sound body was never appreciated as it is in this country today, where, owing to the constant advance in individual knowledge of the human anatomy, the people are constantly growing in stature.

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Travers Defeated.

Prestwich, England, April 16.—Jerome D. Travers, the amateur golf champion of the United States, was defeated here today in an 18-hole match by Art Aiken, 7 up and 5 to play. Mr. Travers found the putting greens very troublesome.

Date For Hearing Fixed.

Washington, April 16.—A decision was reached today by the interstate commerce commission to institute an investigation in regard to the right of railroads to sell commutation tickets to "children attending schools of certain kind or class while pupils attending various other kinds of schools are excluded" and has fixed May 6 as the date for a hearing on the subject.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

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WANTED—You to know that I am having many calls for homes. List your properties for sale or for rent with F. J. Pilgrim, room 224 Holland block. New phone, office, 848A, residence 1364R. 1-3t

WANTED—Salesman in your locality to represent us. Experience unnecessary. $110 per month and expenses. Write for particulars. Monarch Cigar Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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WANTED TO RENT—A 5 or 6-room house. Single, near to west North, west High or west Market streets. Must have both waters and plumbed for gas. Apply at Penna freight office after 6 p. m., to C. R. Ne...

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. E. Golley, 215 west North st.

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WANTED—$1200 for you. Stoneman made $1200 monthly, Kerstad $2200. New business. Hundreds getting rich. Experience unnecessary, credit. Strange invention. Gives every home a bath room for $5.00. Cleanses almost automatically. Startling inducements free. Allen Mfg. Co., 2019 Adams St., Toledo O.

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FOR SALE—Family carriage, as good as new. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Call or address, Mrs. J. C. Ridenour, 631 west Market street. 1-3t

FOR RENT—8-room, new brick house, modern; six-room modern house. For sale two lots southeast corner Collett and Elm. New phone 1236.

FOR RENT—Basement room in Y. M. C. A. building. Excellent location for office, tailor or barber shop. Inquire Y. M. C. A. office.

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FOR RENT—3-room, summer kitchen and cellar. Inquire at 455 north West street. 8-31-eod

FOR RENT—9-room modern house 743 west North street, large lot with private drive; key at next door. For further information address, H. H. Pletcher, 1 Eastman Flats, Toledo, O.

FOR RENT—Two nice store rooms next door west of Masonic Temple can be used for one or two separate businesses will make satisfactory lease to right parties. For full particulars see Gus Kalb, 117 west High street. New phone 196. apr8-tf

FOR RENT—A desirable 7-room house on Vine, second door from car line. Inquire at Park Grocery, corner Metcalf and Vine. ap5-tf

FOR RENT—A desirable flat on car line, at corner of Metcalf and Vine streets. Call at The Park Grocery. oc17-tf

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FOR SALE—One good, stout work horse, sold cheap if sold at once. One family mare with foal. Inquire at E. D. Gast barber shop, 108 east pring street. 1-3t

FOR SALE—Only a few more handsome buggies at less than cost. You must hurry if you want a bargain. Office desk, copy press and lease for sale; also one second hand bicycle. Palmer and Kaiser, rear Interurban Station. apr17-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, phaeton and harness. A good horse for light drive or express, safe for women to drive. Both phones 84, after 6 o'clock in evening. 9-3t

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—Some good business chances, farms near Lima, O., 200 acre corn farm, 50 acre farm, and Texas lands ready for your consideration. Let us talk it over and get busy. Call on or address, B. J. Beach, 331 Holland Block, Lima, O. april 1-tf

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LOST—Ivory fob ornament in shape of small horse foot with gold shoe. Finder please bring to this office or return to James G. Mackenzie and receive reward. 9-3t

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WILL NOT BE HEARD

Standard Cases in Circuit Court Continued Until Next Month.

AGED WIFE HAS SUED FOR DIVORCE.

Circuit Judges Withhold Decision in Putnam Local Option Case.

The circuit court judges have made good progress in the assignment of work for this term, the regular assignment being taken up Friday morning.

The cases of the State of Ohio ex. rel. Wade H. Ellis, attorney general, vs. The Ohio Oil company, The Buckeye Pipe Line company, and The Solar Refining company, which were to have been heard at this term, have been continued until May 23rd, to be pesented at the session in Findlay on that date.

Divorce Suit.

Stating that they were married September 6, 1856, at Millerstown, Pa., Armina E. Barry has filed suit for divorce from her husband, Alba J. She alleges gross neglect of duty, in his failure to provide her with the necessities of life, and wilful absence for more than three years. She states that she is the owner of a part of inlot 1106 in the city of Lima and asks that the defendant may be barred from any dower rights, and that she be granted a decree and reasonable alimony.

Commissioners.

The county commissioners were in joint session with the Hardin county board, Thursday, viewing the Myers joint county ditch. The view was adjourned until May 26th.

The board made the trip to the county line in Harry Lamberton's new auto, and after about 30 minutes session, were ready to return home, but Harry had difficulty with the gasoline mule, and did not succeed in getting started on the return trip until a machinist from Lima appeared on the scene. It was 5 o'clock when they reached the city.

False Report.

A report was sent out from Ottawa Thursday that the circuit court had rendered its opinion in the Putnam county local option case. The judges went to Ottawa Wednesday evening and rendered their opinions on several matters which had been heard in the Putnam county cases, but passed the contested election case.

When interviewed today, Judge Donnelly stated that the newspapers were having a great time in deciding the Putnam county case for the circuit court. He stated that the case had been continued until the supreme court hands down its decision in the mandamus case, brought to compel the probate court to certify the election contest over to the common pleas court. The history of the case is as follows:

Following the local option election held in Putnam county, the "wets" brought suit contesting the election, in probate court, on the grounds that an error had been made in tallying the votes in one of the precincts. The "wets" then asked the probate judge to certify the case to the common pleas court on the basis that he was considered prejudiced. Judge Heidelbaugh refused to do this. Mandamus proceedings were then brought by the "wets" in circuit court to compel him to certify the case over, and the circuit court issued the order requiring him to do so. The "drys" then carried the mandamus case to the supreme court of error.

In the meantime, the contest case was heard in common pleas court and decided in favor of the "wets." This case was taken to circuit court and is now pending there.

The circuit court has continued the case, pending the decision of the supreme court on the madamus case.

Court Matters.

Judge Klinger granted a decree in divorce to Martha E. Hale in her suit against the husband Albert E., on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. The defendant was ordered to pay $2.50 per week for the support of the child until he is 17 years of age.

Elizabeth Radala was granted a divorce from her husband Henry Albert on the grounds of extreme cruelty, and was awarded the custody of the minor child.

In the case of Ralph DeVoe vs. D. C. Dunn et al, a demurer was overruled.

Real Estate Transfers.

James A Rankin to Elmer D. Webb, two acres in Perry township, $1200.

Joseph J. Hover, et al. to William H. Breese, quit claim, 166 acres in Shawnee township, $1.

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ARKANSAS

Proposes to Make Football a Misdemeanor.

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—A bill prohibiting the playing of football in Arkansas has been introduced in the house of the Arkansas legislature. The bill provides that any violation shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of from $100 to $500 and a year imprisonment in jail.

MASONIC NOTICE.

Stated convocation of Lima Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., this evening. Work on Past and M. Ex. Master degree. Craft cordially invited.

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THE MACHINISTS' DANCE.

Will be held at the Auditorium Friday night, April 16. 50 cents per couple. Extra ladies, 25c. Under auspices Lima Lodge No. 145, I. A. of M. 7-5t

FIRST PRODUCTION

Given Under Auspices of Barbers' Association Was a Good One.

GOOD AUDIENCE FILLED FAUROT.

And Characters Were Well Reproduced by Local Cast of Players.

A very good crowd witnessed the production of "The Man From Nevada," which was given at the Opera House last evening for the benefit of the Barbers' sick and benefit fund. The play is one that is frequently presented by amateurs, and the cast of characters was fairly well balanced. The play is a melodrama, and consequently had some very exciting and blood-curdling scenes, but the ones taking the principal parts played them excellently and they were well supported by the remainder of the case. Four acts well staged, and with pretty scenery, were filled with some thrilling situations, and exciting denouments.

A very neat sum will be realized for the benefit fund after all expenses are deducted, and in addition the players may feel well satisfied that their efforts were appreciated and their work well done. The entire cast was as follows:

Clarence Harrington, member of congress from Nevada, Charles Rageman; Count Bertrad de Santeau, a French adventurer and spy, Alton Harshe; Hon. Mortimer Shaw, U. S. senator, Leo Priestap; Col. Horace Fitzallen, a retired army officer, W. Everett; James Lester, a West Point cadet, H. VanPelt; Herr Felix von Gruyter, an attache of the German Embassy, G. Johns; John Johnston, a broker in Fortification Plans, E. VanPelt; Jack Manning, a valet from the West, Earl VanPelt; Boxton, Harrington's butler, J. Reagan; Madeline Sylvester, neice of Senator Shaw, Bess Gehr; Marie Wentworth, De Santeau's confederate, Mary Bollinger; Alice Saintbury, an heiress with a mind of her own, Edith Gehr; Mrs. Angelina Shaw, a Washington matron, Lou Armbrust; Lucile, maid to Madeline, Goldie Noland.

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Has moved his Dental Office to the Metropolitan Block.
tu-th-sat-apr1-1m

Suit Sale tomorrow, one line at $15.00 at R. T. GREGG & CO.

ABANDONMENT CASES

Occupy Attention of Humane Officer.

Charges have been filed in Justice Dempster's court by Humane Officer Smiley against three defendants, for abandonment of their minor children.

Chris. Graham, of Amanda township, was arraigned and entered a plea of not guilty. The case was set for hearing April 23rd.

Richard Tummel, arrested at Ada, on the charge, entered a plea of not guilty, and the case was continued for 90 days to give him an opportunity to make good.

Charles Counts, arrested at Mendon, entered a plea of guilty and was placed on probation upon his promise to contribute. He made his first payment on schedule time.

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BOOKS JUST PUBLISHED.

Bill Truetell," a theatrical story.
Kingsmead," by Von Hutten.
Bronze Bell," same author as "Brass Bowl."
Gorgeous Borgia," by Justin McCarty.
Katrine," by Lane, author of "Nine Stair."
Books recently published and especially recommended:
The Trail of the Lonesome Pine."
Peter."
Ann of Green Gables," another "Rebecca."

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THE ONE PRICE CASH STORE.

Saturday is Bargain Day at Our Store.

FOR SATURDAY'S TRADE WE WILL OFFER SPECIAL MARK-DOWNS ON EVERY FLOOR OF OUR STORE, BASEMENT, FIRST FLOOR, SECOND FLOOR AND THIRD FLOOR. WE PRINT BELOW A FEW OF THE MANY SPECIAL VALUES IN DOMESTICS, SILKS, DRESS GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, SUITS, DRESSES, SHIRT WAISTS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, ETC.

DIRECTOIRE SATIN AND FOULARD DRESSES AT $12.50 AND $19.75.

Fifteen new spring directoire satin and foulard silk dresses in rose, catawba, reseda, French blue, and navy blue, exceptionally stylish garments, worth $15 to $18. **Saturday's sale price $12.50.**

Rajah silk weaves, foulard silks and plain messaline dresses, beautifully trimmed with Plauen and Val. Laces, that would readily appeal to anyone as cheap at $25. **Our Saturday's sale price $19.75.**

LINGERIE WAIST BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY.

$1.50 and $1.75 qualities women's lingerie waists, full tucked sleeves with lace edging at the cuff. Baby Irish or German Val Lace yokes. Lace trimmed front to belt line. **Saturday's selling price only $1.19.**

SPECIAL UNDERPRICING IN OUR DOMESTIC DEP'T. FOR SATURDAY.

(Take elevator for basement.)

$1.00 quality pearl hemmed full size bed spreads. **Saturday's price only 75c.**

75c grade seamless sheets, size 81x90. **Saturday's sale price 64c.**

Any color or style 25c real French Zephyr ginghams. **Saturday only 19c yard.**

You can buy the 35c pure linen cambric, **Saturday only 29c the yard.**

WOMEN'S TAILOR-MADE SUITS AT $15.00 AND $19.75.

We have about fifty tailor-made suits that we offer for Saturday's selling, materials are fine panamas, serges, and self striped novelties. Colors navy, black, reseda, old rose, catawba, taupe and tan. The tailoring and findings are splendid, the models are copies of the more expensive garments. An inspection will convince you that these are wonderfully cheap at **$15 and $19.75.**

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES IN WOMEN'S MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Fine barred dimity, nainsook and cambric gowns, worth up to $1.25 each. **Saturday's selling price only 90c.**

Women's ruffled hemstitched 39c corset covers. **Saturday's sale price 25c.**

Women's lace and embroidery trimmed corset covers, worth up to 35c. **Saturday's selling price only 22c.**

A NEW LINE OF CORSET COVER AND SKIRT FLOUNCING EMBROIDERIES.

Wide flouncings and corset cover embroideries in swiss and nainsook qualities. We have divided the lot into four prices. An inspection will readily convince you that they are extraordinary values at **25c, 39c, 48c and 75c the yard.**

A SPECIAL DRIVE IN WOMEN'S BLACK SILK GLOVES.

Remember for Saturday only, we will sell $1.50 grade fine imported 16 button length black silk gloves **for only 98c the pair.**

The $1.25 grade of 12 button black silk gloves. **Saturday only 79c.**

50c WOOL DRESS GOODS ONLY 38c THE YD. SATURDAY.

Light grey and light tan dress goods are right now in great demand. We have tabled 25 to 30 pieces of light tan and grey checks that are particularly good styles and for one day only our selling price will be **38c the yard.**

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL IN SILK DRESS GOODS.

Hundreds of people have learned to think of Carter & Carroll's when they think of silk dress goods. We offer for Saturday's selling, thirty styles new Louisine and Messaline finish fancy costume and waisting silks, in broken checks, dice checks, hairline and self-striped effects. Qualities worth 50c, 58c and 75c the yd. **Saturday's selling price only 45c the yard.**

Staple and Fancy Notions; Jewelry, Leather Goods and Toilet Articles All Underpriced for Saturday's Selling.

50c quality new style fancy hat pins. Saturday's price **39c.**

$1 and 75c qualities new style fancy hat pins. Saturday's price **69 cents.**

25c quality new style fancy hat pins. Saturday's price **19c.**

10c card of 12 hat pins, black only. Saturday's price **5c.**

50c and 75c qualities sash pins and buckles. Saturday's price **39 cents.**

39c quality fancy sash pins and buckles. Saturday's price **28c.**

25c quality fancy sash pins and buckles. Saturday's price **19c.**

15c card of 12 gold plated one piece collar buttons. Saturday's price **5c.**

$1.00 quality soft leather bags. Saturday's price **69c.**

50c quality soft leather bags. Saturday's price **33c.**

$1.50 quality black and colors new shape bags. Saturday's price **$1.00.**

50c quality leather, elastic and fancy belts. Saturday's price **35c.**

25c size Cutieura medicinal soap. Saturday's price **19c.**

25c size Peroxide or Listerine. Saturday's price **19c.**

35c size Prophylactic tooth brushes. Saturday's price **25c.**

10c size cabinet hair pins. Saturday's price **5c.**

3 for 5c size Horn and Celluloid hair pins. Saturday's price **1c each.**

2 for 5c Horn and celluloid hair pins. Saturday's price **3 for 5c**

5c size horn and celluloid hair pins. Saturday's price **3c.**

10c and 15c near shell side combs. Saturday's price **5c.**

15c and 19c near shell large carved barrettes. Saturday's price **10c.**

25c near shell or amber back combs. Saturday's price **19c.**

25c sizes best high grade talcum powders. Saturday's price **15c**

15c size sifter box violet talcum powders. Saturday's price **10c**

10c size sifter box violet talcum powders. Saturday's price **5c.**

25c sizes Almond and Cucumber cream. Saturday's price **20c.**

25c size violet perfumed ammonia. Saturday's price **10c.**

25c size Colgate's Dental Cream. Saturday's price **20c.**

25c size Colgate's dental powder. Saturday's price **15c.**

25c size Colgate's Coleo soap. Saturday's price **20c.**

The Right Kind of Hosiery for Men, Women and Children Reduced.

We have about 250 pairs women's black and fancy hose in light, medium and heavy weights, plain, embroidered and lace patterns, which sold for 35c, 25c and 19c the pair. Styles and qualities we wish to discontinue, not all sizes of any one style, but all sizes in the lot. Specially priced while they last at **2 pairs for 25c.**

To find your hose as good at night as when you put them on in the morning, get a pair of "Onyx" or Wayne Knit Hosiery. These two makes show the greatest strides ever made toward hosiery perfection.

Women's Onyx black double top cobweb lisle hose, resist the ravages of the garter clasp. **Price 50c.**

Women's "Onyx" double top black and tan silk lisle hose, feels and looks like silk, but wears better. **Price 50c the pair.**

Women's and children's Wayne Knit Hosiery, warranted to wear three months without darning, three pair in a box. **Price $1.00 the box.**

Infants' black, white, pink, blue and red Wayne Knit fine ribbed stockings. **Price 15c or two pairs for 25c.**

Men's black and tan Wayne Knit Half Hose, warranted to wear three months without darning, box of three pairs. **Price $1.00.**

People Are Always Satisfied with Underwear Bargains Bought at This Store.

50c quality women's bleached, ribbed union suits, lace trimmed or cuff knee, limited quantity. Special price **39c.**

50c quality women's sleeveless vests, lace or crochet trimmed fine hand finish lisles, limited quantity. Special price **39c.**

25c quality women's bleached sleeveless vests, mercerized lisles, limited quantity. Special price **19c.**

Women's long sleeve vests and corset covers, fine bleached cotton, open and closed pants to match with lace trimmed or cuff knee, sizes 4 to 9. Special values at **25c each.**

Women's long or short sleeve "Munsing" vests, best quality bleached Egyptian cotton, open pants to match in umbrella style, cuff knee or ankle length. Sizes 4 to 9, all made with adjustable elastic bands, at this store only. Price **50c.**

Women's Munsing Union Suits, spring weight at **$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.**

Men's Munsing Union Suits, regular and stout sizes, long and short sleeves, knee and ankle length; cotton, lisle and mercerized in flesh color, light blue, bleached and unbleached. At this store only. Prices **$1, $1.50, $2 and $2.50.**

Boys' Munsing Union Suits, long and short sleeves, knee and ankle length, full range of sizes. At this store only **50c and 58c.**

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CITY OF ADANA

IN TURKEY ON FIRE AND TROOPS UNABLE

To Control Situation Some of Them Joining in the Pillage.

CABLES REPORT TWO AMERICAN

Missionaries Killed in the Anti-Armenian Outbreak There.

Government Gives Assurance it is Striving to Restore Order.

Messina, April 16.—The massacre of Armenians at Adana continues. The troops are powerless to control the situation, and some of the soldiers are joining in the pillage of the city. This information was received here by telegraph from Adana this afternoon.

Berlin, April 16.—A despatch received today at Berlin from Adana says that city has been aflame all day.

Constantinople, April 16 —Information received here today from Adana in Asiatic Turkey declares that two American missionaries have been killed in the anti-Armenian outbreak at that place.

The modern fanaticism against the Christians of Adana appears to have broken out afresh. The Moslem attacks recommenced yesterday afternoon and continued through the night. Large numbers of Christians are said to have been killed. One report says thar sixty Armenians have lost their lives and that many houses have been looted and burned.

There is no confirmation of the death of the two American missioneries.

The British vice consul at Mersina has proceeded to Adana.

The first news of this anti-Christian outbreak said the scene was Mersina but this was erroneous. The trouble occurred at Adana, which is about 36 miles inland from Mersina The early reports were declared to have been exaggerated. The messages received here yestrday evening said that only ten Armenians had had been killed, that matrial law had been proclaimed at Adana and that reinforcements of troops were being sent in from Beirut. This latest intelligence refers to disorders which took place after the disorders were supposed to have quieted down

The bible house is also without direct information. The missionaries of the district are at present at Adana for the regular district meeting. They are Mr and Mrs William Chambers the Misses Webb Miss Wallace and Miss Bore Mr Christie is at Tarsus

The government has given assurances that it is doing its best to restore order at Adana and protect foreigners Additional troops are being sent in

Berlin April 16 A local newspaper today publishes a dispatch from Axtum in the villayet of Monastir and not far from Saloniki, declaring that the Albanians of the village are showing signs of unrest.

Washington April 16 —The Turkish ambassador called at the state department today and during a long interview with Assistant Secretary Wilson gave as assurance that no consideration of race or religion had entered into the trouble that had been experienced in Constantinople and elsewhere in Turkey His dispatches had satisfied him that personal matters rather than any political question were responsible for the unrest in his country

The Bed-rock of Success

lies in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr King's New Life Pills impart. They vitalize every organ and build up brain and body. J A. Harmon, Lizemore, W. Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

$1 19 Shirt Waist, best values in Lima at R T GREGG & CO.

THE HEROINE OF MOLOKAI.

The unselfish devotion of Mrs. Walter Brinkerhoff, who has just died after three years assisting her husband among the lepers of the Hawaiian death colony, is a lesson to the ever-increasing class of idle women who are of no use to others and a burden of ennui to themselves.

The beautiful niece of John D. Long had every advantage of wealth and social position in her Boston home, yet she chose to wed the young pathologist and become his colaborer in the most pitiful place in the whole wide world, where every living being is a living death.

This is not to say that all society women should haste to Hawaii. There is leprosy not of the flesh. There is a hidden Molokia in many an American city and town. The rich woman of right spirit can find plenty of work for her idle hands without setting foot outside her own community.—Chicago Journal.

REMEMBER!

Nothing worth winning is won with ease,
The goal worth reaching is sacred ground,
And it can't be reached in a gentle walk,
Or a burst of speed and a leap and bound.
The eagle of victory perches high,
And the climbing soul has far to climb,
When death and doubt in the vales below,
And the stars far off on the hills of time.

—Baltimore Sun.

CLEMENTINE:
Don't try to make angel food unless you use Gold Medal Flour. BELLINA.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The pen is mightier than the county jail

Too many men who have good ideas are unable to make good

For every gold brick on the market there is a purchaser born

Would your name on a note for $500,000 remove the goods from the shelf?

When a man chews tobacco he always says he does it to prevent toothache.

The man who was born to be hanged may escape by way of the electric chair.

A business man's idea of tough luck is to be compelled to attend a social function.—Chicago News

HIS HARDENED HEART.

His heart was hardened, he was deaf to pleas;
He knew the world—had learned its lessons well;
Ah, he had suffered untold agonies,
Within him love had long since ceased to dwell.

His heart was hardened, but there came his way
A woman with a crooning voice and low,
And after he had known her for a day
His heart was like a soggy lump of dough

—Chicago Record-Herald.

ON HAND.

The stars were shaken from their spheres,
The hills were piled in mighty tiers,
The seas came streaming o'er the land,
Destruction reigned on every hand.
The angel, borne on sweeping wings,
Had trumped the end of earthly things,
When whirring queer arose in air—
The moving picture man was there.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

IN THE MAGAZINES.

The old question, "What is Life?" continues to tempt all scientists to an effort at its solution The remarkable new developments in chemistry, as Professor Robert Kennedy Duncan writes, in the May Harper's do explain much of the so-called material manifestation of life; but the ultimate guiding force, the engineer, so to speak, remains a mystery. Many of the revelations of chemistry, however, in explaining the phenomena of the human body read like wonder-tales, and of these Professor Duncan gives interesting examples. Not the least remarkable is the phenomenon known as catalysis, in which certain organic substances cause changes and reactions in other substances by their mere presence, without being themselves altered in any way.

LARGER HOLES FOR DOUGHNUTS

Persons who guide legislative destinies are authority for the statement that the pure cabbage bill and a measure to secure proper ventilation in doughnuts are being prepared and will be introduced next wek. The doughnut bill, it is announced, will provide that each individual creation shall have a tunnel capable of carrying a specific amount of air. The pure cabbage bill will provide that 98 per cent of cabbage seeds shall bear fruit.—Springfield Cor Chicago Tribune.

THE MARKETS.

New York, April 16 —Trading in stocks today started at irregular prices changes from last night, the declines outnumbering the advances. Louisville and Nashville and corn products declined 1 and the Southern railway stocks and Amal. copper ⅝. National lead advanced ⅝. Dealings were on only a moderate scale.

The market closed weak Stocks were thrown over freely in connection with the fresh bulge in wheat and prices gave way with some violence. Louisville and Nashville and Amalgamated Copper dropped 1⅝; Reading 1½; Union Pacific and Anaconda ⅝; Northern Pacific and Southern Railroad ⅝.

Cleveland Produce.

Cleveland, April 16.—Butter, creamery extras 30@30½; firsts 27@27½; seconds 26@26½; prints 31@31½; process 25@26; fancy dairy 22@23; packing stock 16@17.

Cheese, york state cream, fancy 15½@16; choice 14@14½; do Ohio creams 15@15½; Swiss, No. 1, 15@16; No. 2, 12@14; bricks 16@17; limburger 15@17.

Eggs, current receipts 21½.

Poultry, chickens 16@17; spring broilers 25@30.

Apples, fancy stock $6.00@6.25; choice $4.50@5.00; western $2.50@3.25 per box.

Potatoes, Bermudas, $7.50@8.00.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 1,000; market steady. Beeves, $4.80@7.00; Texas steers, $4.40@5.80; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.80; cows and heifers, $2.00@6.00; calves, $5.00@7.00.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 15,000; market 5@10c lower. Light, $6.60@7.05; mixed, $6.75@7.15; heavy, $6.75@7.20; rough, $6.75@6.90; good to choice, heavy, $6.90@7.20; pigs, $5.50@6.50, bulk of sales, $6.90@7.10.

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 6,000; market steady. Native, $3.65@6.15; western, $6.20; yearlings, $6.15@7.25; lambs, native, $5.50@8.20; western, $5.50@8.25.

Daily Movement of Produce.

Receipts—Flour, 23,900 barrels; wheat, 34,800 bushels; corn, 65,500 bushels; oats, 168,300 bushels; rye, 4,000 bushels; barley, 46,800 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 13,400 barrels; wheat, 58,200 bushels; corn, 99,000 bushels; oats, 183,200 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels; barley, 24,300 bushels

Car Lot Receipts.

Wheat, 39 cars, with 4 of contract grade; corn, 92 cars, with 7 of contract grade; oats, 99 cars; total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 187 cars.

Wheat Pit Busy.

Chicago, April 16.—Although the turbulent scenes that marked closing trades in the wheat pit on the board of trade yesterday were lacking at the opening today, the volume of business transacted early in the session was still of enormous proportions and prices showed a tendency to recover from the sensational set back of the previous day. Foreign news was again bullish and this prompted a big general demand. A rally of two cents at Winnipeg also inspired considerable buying during the opening hour.

Prices at the opening were ¼@⅜ lower to ⅜@⅝ higher, with May at $1.27¾ and July at $1.16@1.16½.

For a time the May delivery held within the opening range while July advanced to $1.16¾.

May corn opened half to ⅝ higher at 68⅝ to 68¾ and advanced to 69¼.

May oats opened ⅛ to ⅜ higher at 55⅛ to 55¼ and rose to 55½.

Provisions opened 2½ higher to 5 cents lower.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 16.—May, $1.27½; yuli, $1.17; September, $1.07¼; December, $1.05⅝.

Corn—April, 69c; July, 67½@67⅝c; September, 61c; December, 58½c.

Oats—July, 49¼c. September, 41¾c.

Pork—May, $18.05; September, $18.07.

Ribs—May, $10.45; July, $9.57½; September, $9.70.

Cincinnati Live Stock.

Cincinnati, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts 545; market active. Common, $2.25@4.10.

Hogs—Receipts 265; market was weak, and 10@15c lower Butchers and shippers, $7.20@7.25; common, $5.00@6.00.

Sheep—Receipts 625; market was steady. Native, $5.00@5.75; lambs, market was steady at $5.50@8.00.

Pittsburg Stock Yards.

Pittsburg, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts light; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Hogs—Receipts 5 loads; market lower. Prime heavy and mediums, $7.55@7.60; heavy yorkers, $7.50@7.55; pigs, $6.50@6.65.

Sheep—Supply fair, market slow; lamb market strong, quotations unchanged.

Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts 3 cars; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 5 cars; market steady. Heavy, $7.45@7.50; mediums, $7.40; yorkers, $7.00@7.25; pigs, $6.65@6.70; rough, $6.40; stags, $5.50.

Sheep—Receipts 55 cars; market slow. Yearlings, $7.00@7.25; wethers, $6.40@6.60; mixed, $6.00@6.25; ewes, $5.75@6.00; culls, $4.00@5.00; lambs, $7.00@8.40; clipped, $6.00@6.15.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, April 16.—Close—Wheat, cash, $1.40; May, $1.39; July, $1.19⅝; September, $1.10¼; December, $1.09½.

Corn—Cash and May, 70½c; July, 69½c; September, 69¼c.

Oats—Cash, 56½c; May, 56¾c; July, 50c; September, 115⅝c.

Clover Seed—Cash and April, $5.98½; October and December, $6.65.

Alsike—Prime, $8.10.

Timothy—Prime, $1.80.

Rye—No. 2, 87c.

Great value in Suits tomorrow at $18.75 at R. T. GREGG & CO.

ENGLISH LITERATURE IN CHINA.

China is following in the footsteps of Japan in an attempt to assimilate European literature. An enterprising native publisher has issued a number of popular books in Chinese translations, and there is said to be a great demand for them. The list includes "Robinson Crusoe," "Gulliver's Travels," "Ivanhoe," "David Copperfield," "Sherlock Holmes," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," and "Westward, Ho." The favorite French authors are Dumas and Hugo; while Russia is represented by Tolstoi. Apart from fiction, there are works by Victor Spencer, Huxley, and John Stuart Mill. It would be interesting to read reviews of these books in Chinese papers —New York Evening Post.

SO LACKING.

A woman who visited the British museum recently inquired of an attendant, "Have you no skull of Cromwell? I have been looking all around for a skull of Oliver Cromwell."

"No, madam," replied the attendant, "We've never had one"

"How very odd!" she exclaimed. "They have a fine one in the museum at Oxford!"—Ladies' Home Journal.

Many People Wait For Big Day, Monday.

Free Distribution of Remarkable New Food Remedy Starting Monday, in Creating Enormous Excitement.

Monday is the big day

The men, women and children of this town, including yourself never had such a surprise.

In the columns of this paper we have already told you about the delicious, does-what-it-says, astonishing food remedy, Cerena

Nothing we can ever say can ever fully describe the splendid results of Cerena; you've simply got to taste it. After you have tasted it once and felt its indescribable effects, you'll rave over it.

Next Monday you will get Cerena free. No more pills to relieve your constipation. No more dyspepsia; no more indigestion; no more heartburn; forget you ever had stomach or bowel troubles or torpid liver. Positively no more. Cerena will be entirely responsible for this wonderful change.

But this is not all. You will find the moment the first spoonful reaches your hungry palate that it is the most delicious food you ever tasted

Cerena, though a food remedy, contains no drugs. It is made of the finest selected wheat, corn and cereals, united in a wonderful way with the essence of juice-laden fruits and most nutritious vegetables. A perfectly balanced food. It's—well—it's simply fine.

Cerena is a wonder in its remedial results; a wonder in taste and nutrition, suitable to the most delicate stomach, and relished by old and young, men, women and children.

It will put your bowels on a 24-hour schedule, rid you of stomach troubles and liver laziness as sure as the sun rises, and build bone, muscle and nerve tissue

It is a God-send to constipation victims and pill-users.

As we have told you before, free 25c packages of Cerena are going to be given away free to every person in exchange for a free coupon to be printed in this paper on Monday. A 25c free package will last you a month.

Now watch for the coupon, Monday. Don't let it get away from you. Cerena will be a revelation to you. Get the coupon and you get Cerena free.

SPECIAL SUIT SALE TOMORROW

We have just received between 50 and 100 Ladies fine Tailored Suits. They come in plain and fancy worsteds as well as the Mannish stripes, placed in two groups for rapid selling Saturday.

Group No. 1 comprised of the above suits, Saturday price, special **$15.00.**

Group No. 2 consists of higher grade suits, extra values, at **$18.75.**

Without doubt the best suit values ever offered for the money on sale Saturday.

One special line ladies fine white shirt waists, special at **89c.**

One exceptionally strong line fine white Shirt Waists, special tomorrow for **$1.19.**

On Special Sale Saturday.

R. T. Gregg & Co.

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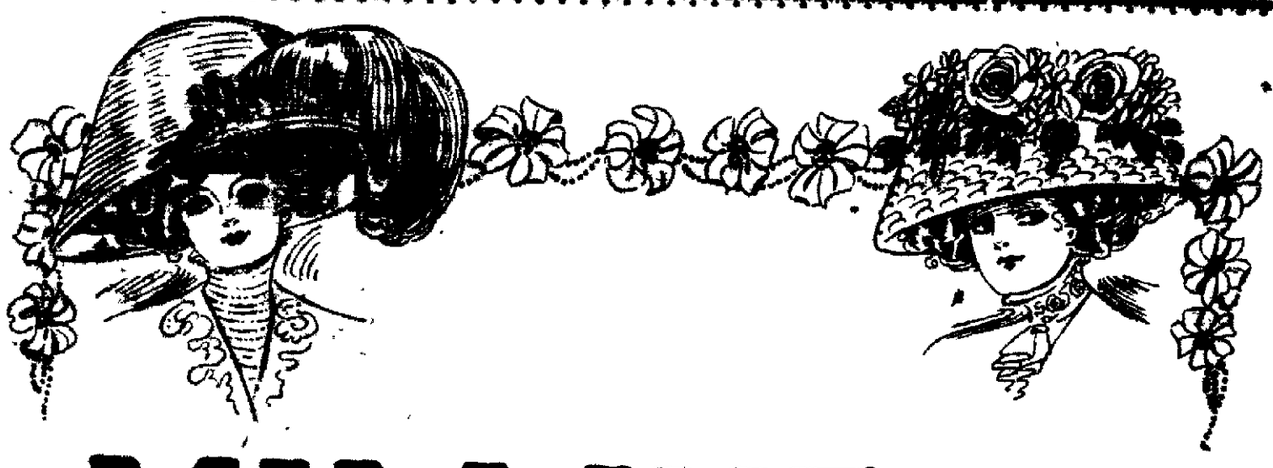

MILLINERY

of Style and Quality.

Our stock of Ladies' and Misses' Trimmed Hats is by far the largest in Lima. We have received this week lots of new hats in the latest shapes and colors. We will save you from $1.00 to $3.00 on any hat. See us before you buy.

Our line of Children's Hats is by far the largest in assortment in the city.

Hats From 25c to $3.00.

Big line of shapes untrimmed at low price.

WE TRIM HATS.

2000 bunches of flowers, black and colors, all kinds,

Only 10 Cents.

Come in and try our HATS on. You will soon see how much we can save you on a Hat.

THE LEADER.

GRAPEWIN KING OF BASEBALL FANS.

Charley Grapewin, who will be seen in Lima for the first time in his big musical comedy success "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp," at the Faurot next Saturday starting with a matinee, has long been regarded as being one of the most ardent lovers of base ball as well as a most enthusiastic fan, yet it may not be generally known that the comedian was himself signed to play with the Cincinnati Reds at one time, and had it not been for his pressing theatrical engagements, he might now be a member of one of the famous nine. It may, however, be recalled that he proved his cleverness as a twirler, when he was invited to pitch for the Giants in a practice game with the Champion Cubs at the Polo grounds, New York City, two seasons ago Since then Mr. Grapewin has received several highly flattering offers to forsake the stage for the diamond, but no inducements could persuade him to abandon his fame as Mr. Pipp, but in order to satisfy his interest for the sport, he organized a nine of players among the members of his company and many are the victories chronicled in favor of the Pipps over clever local nines wherever the Grapewin challenge had been accepted.

That the comedian has still a soft spot in his heart for baseball is shown from his recent efforts to organize a nine of real Indian ball tossers. He waited until reaching Oklahoma recently before consummating his engagements for that purpose; and from what can be learned, his recruiting from among the various tribes has been eminently successful, and he has planned to take the Indian players to Long Branch, N J for training, as Mr Grapewin besides owning a fine cottage at the seashore has laid out as perfect a diamond as can be found anywhere

In an interview with the actor in one of the Oklahoma papers he declared that the best way to civilize the Red Skins was first to teach him the sciences of the National game

Among the engagements made for the Grapewin Indians are two grandsons of the late Chief Geronimo, who died recently while a prisoner at Fort Sill, and whose capture had cost the government nearly a million dollars.

It is Mr. Grapewin's intention to include his Indian base ball players in his company next season, and to play them against all comers, firmly believing that through his methods that he can make of them a most formidable nine; besides it must be very clear that the actor has an eye on the advertising advantages to be gained through such a scheme

THE MONOPOLIST.

He climbed the ladder of fame with ease,
And stood on the topmost rung.
And he looked far up in the cloudless seas,
For he was young.

He yearned to go higher and higher still,
The summit but made him scoff.
He stood on one foot, as people will,
And then fell off.

—Boston Herald

UNCLE EZRA SAYS:

It may be good teachin' to turn the other cheek to your adversary an' git it biffed, but my experience her be'n that it is the best policy to get it out of his way"—Boston Herald.

RICHES.

"'Pears to me," said Uncle Eben, "dat when a man succeeds in gettin' rich quick all he gits out of it is a desire for gittin' still richer still quicker"—Washington Star

Easily Answered.

"You say you would not feel safe in Africa?"

"Yes, answered the correspondent

"Why?"

"Because Mr. Roosevelt has said he does not want me there"—Washington Star.

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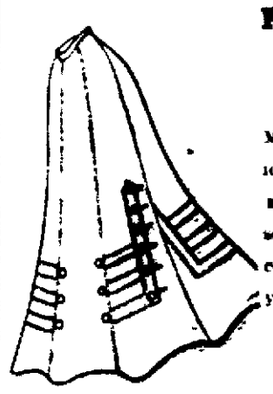
Saturday Specials.



FINE TAILORED SKIRTS.

Made in the latest fashions from new popular materials. A large assortment in all sizes and colors Values $6 to $8. your choice Saturday at

Special $5.00

We have about 3 doz. odds and ends in shirt waists in pretty patterns of embroidered and lace work fronts and tucked backs. Special price, Saturday, while they last,

89c.

Ladies' $6.50 Black Vici, Gun Metal and Patent Shoes, Special $1.98.

Men's Velour, Black Vici and Tan Calf Shoes, $3.50 values $2.00.

Very large assortment of 50c back combs in many popular patterns. They come in plain and fancy styles. Special

Saturday 37c.

Popular designs in 25c and 50c belt buckles, each in fancy box and a good value at that price. 50c grade Saturday, 38c. 25c grade Saturday, 17c.

Numerous patterns and styles of swiss ruffled curtains at prices lower than ever Our special for Saturday and at 47c per pair are the best ever shown for the money

IRON BED SPECIAL.

Elegant iron bed in white, blue or green 4 ft 6 in. wide Regular height 7 fellus brass rods and brass ornaments on posts

Special $5.25.

Nickle alarm clocks in several styles, fancy square metallic clocks and gilt ornamental clocks Worth $1 to $1.79.

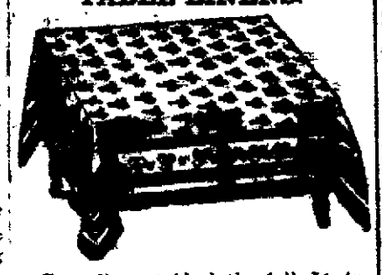
Special 89c.

BIG GO-CART VALUE.

Steinfeld Folding Go-Cart, made of high grade leather, durable rubber tires, complete with folding leather top, regular $7.50 cart A handy, neat cart that folds very flat. Special price

Saturday Only $5.98.

TABLE LINENS.



Pure linen tablecloth, full 71 in. wide, in six patterns that are a big $1 00 value

Saturday only 79c yd.

All copper No. 8 boiler heavy copper of good quality, a $3.25 value Special, Saturday only, $2.79.

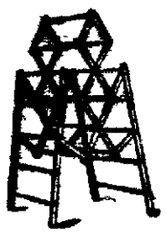
5 ft hardwood stepladder, well made and substantial. An exceptional bargain. Special Saturday 49c.

POTT'S SAD IRONS.

Full nickle plated sides and bottoms, "cold safety" handle. Set of 3 with stand and handle, regular $1 25 value Special Saturday 84c set.

First class durably made wash board 75c value, Special 19c, Saturday only.

Substantial, roomy clothes bar, made of good clear material. $1.50 value, Special Saturday 98c.



200 pillow tops in a profuse assortment of pretty patterns in lithographed tops, floral patterns to be embroidered, flowers and pictures in many colors Special Saturday:

50 cent patterns, 33 cents.
25 cent patterns, 13 cents.

Newson-Bond Co.,

Lima, Ohio.

THREE STAGES OF LIFE.

(Count Leo Tolstoy in Collier's Weekly.)

I feel very clearly the beginning of a loss of interest not only in my own personality, my joys, and sorrows—all that happily lies far behind me and is long ago buried—but in the welfare of humanity and the happiness of the world

No longer with my former keenness can I stand forward to defend such things as self-education, temperance, and thrift I find that I have even become indifferent to human welfare, to the great question, will the Kingdom of Heaven come or not?

Having experienced this change and reflected on its cause, I have come to the following conclusion: Every man lives through three stages of development, and at present I am in the last of these stages.

In the first stage a man lives only for himself, for his passions and impulses, for eating and drinking; for passing the time merrily; for hunting and for female society; for ambition and for vanity. His life is rich and full So it with me up to my thirtieth year, until my first gray hair Other men part with this period of their lives much more rapidly.

When I had traversed this stage I began to think of the welfare of others, of all men, of all humanity. This stage was marked by energetic work in founding elementary schools, although I should say that the wish to do that showed itself in me earlier. These interests vanished with the first years of my married life, and were reborn with terrible force when I first began to realize the vanity and emptiness of our earthly life. All my religious sentiments became concentrated on the happiness of others and on the accomplishment of the Kingdom of Heaven on earth. This aspiration was as strong as, and filled my life as completely as my first aspiration to personal happiness.

But now I feel that this last aspiration is, in turn, dead. It has ceased to fill my life, it no longer carries me away; and I have been obliged to pose to myself the question. Was there really anything good in work directed toward helping men in their struggle against drunkenness and against superstition?

I felt that within me was being born yet a new phase of life, a new foundation of life, which must replace all the others, because it contains an aspiration to the happiness of humanity, which, in turn contains an aspiration to personal happiness This new foundation is work in the service of God, and the fulfillment of His commandments and His will This is not the perfecting of one's self. No, it is something else. It is an aspiration to divine purity.

This new foundation of life consists in keeping clean the good intrusted to us by God, in the beginning of a new life, in the aspiration to a better, higher life, and in being ready always for this better life. This aspiration begins to seize me more and more strongly I feel that it fills me entirely, supplants all other desires, and makes life as richeas it was in the former periods.

It may be that I have not made myself perfectly plain. But I feel it plainly. At the time when I had lost all interest in my personal, individual life, but had not yet acquired a religious interest (an aspiration to the general good of humanity) I was horrified by my position. But I found peace the moment I had found a religious sentiment impelling me to think of the good of humanity. In this thought, at the same time, I found full satisfaction of my desire for personal happiness.

The same thing is going on now, although my former passionate desire to make mankind happier has weakened. I am overcome sometimes by a certain terror as if I stood before an immense abyss.

But the aspiration to, and the preparation for, a new life replace the former conditions which they were born out of; and in them there is happiness both for the individual and for all humanity. Preparing for the new life, I attain at the same time my former aim, the good of humanity, more surely than when this was my only aim. Aspiring to attain God aspiring to a purity of divine Being in myself and in my new life, I find more assuredly both happiness for humanity and for myself.

And this is entirely without haste and without exhaustion, but with the joyful consciousness of a tranquil conscience

May God help me!

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

GREEN AT THE GAME.

The two strangers boldly entered the town's imposing bank building, to which they had been directed, and approached the cashier's window.

"What's this for?" inquired the man behind the window, as one of the strangers deposited a bogus check on the slab

"Check for $200. Can't you read?"

"Well," replied the cashier smilingly scrutinizing the piece of paper, "you'll have to be identified, you know"

The first forger pointed to his companion. "This gentleman'll identify me"

As the second man stepped forward the cashier looked him over.

"Well, I guess it's all right, gentlemen. You both have such open faces there's no need of asking your names or business Just indorse the check, please."

This being quickly done, the amount was counted out, and the forgers departed in high glee

"Ain't he easy?" piped one, on the way out.

"It was a shame to take his money," rejoined his pal "Our first game was a cinch"

But a moment later both novices hurried back to the cashier

"Say," blurted out the first forger, "this is stage money!"

"Well, what do you expect?" was the cashier's calm rejoinder. "The bank's next door. This is the box office of the theater" New York Times.

LONG BATTLE ENDED

And Jacob Bolinger Yielded at Last to the Great Conqueror.

AFFLICTED BOY MADE NOBLE FIGHT

In Which He Was Aided by Many Charitable and Kindly People.

The long battle against over-heavy odds which has been made by Jacob Bolinger was ended early this morning, when death finally came and took the spirit from the poor wasted body.

Perhaps the story of Jacob Bolinger is one of the best arguments in favor of a tuberculosis hospital that it would be possible to find. Motherless, with no means of livelihood, for almost eighteen months, this young man has made a brave struggle against fate, but the dread disease from which his mother died, proved too much for his feeble strength. All last summer the boy occupied a tent on east McKibben street, near the entrance of McCullough lake. The boy lived wholly on charity, and the gifts of the neighbors, while necessary funds were furnished by several parties, notably the Young Peoples' Society of the German Reformed church of which he was a member, and Mrs. Newton Berkley, who, alone did much for him. Many others also contributed to the good work, that the young man, who was just twenty-four when he died, might have the comforts and if possible luxuries that would enable him to perhaps win out in the fight. When cold weather came on he was taken to a nearby house, but the housekeeper was not allowed to keep him, by order of the authorities, on account of the wage earners in her own family. A tent was placed in the back yard of a dwelling on north Jefferson street and Mrs. Berkeley visited him every day and helped to see that he was as comfortable as it was possible to make him. A fortnight ago it was found that nothing further could be done and death was only a question of time. He died at the home of Simon Conrad, 517 north Jefferson street, and tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock the funeral service over the remains will be held.

The father and four brothers, George, Charles, Edward, Harley, and one sister, Mary, who waited on her brother a greater part of the time, are left.

The funeral will take place at the German Reformed church and Rev. Gekeler will conduct the service. Interment will be made at Woodlawn at the close of the service

MIGHTY HARD TO PLEASE.

A New Englander, traveling on foot through the southern mountains, studying the people, asked a man whom he met to direct him to a certain cabin at which he had been advised to stay over night. Going thar?" said the man "Well, Tom's a first rater, take him just right, but he's mighty queer"

"What do you mean?" asked the traveler.

"Well, it's like this," and the man looked at the stranger in a calm, impersonal way "He'll be setting outside, most probably, and he'll see you coming; he'll take a good look at you, and ef you don't suit him he may set the dog on you.

"Ef he don't, and you get to talking with him and say anything he don't just like, he may throw you down and tramp on you. But ef you're careful in your talk, on the other hand, he's liable to take you for a spy and use his gun fust and listen to explanations afterwords.

"But its no use trvin' to get by without stopping,' concluded the man, with evident relish of the prospect he was opening up to the stranger "Ef you was to undertake that 'twould be all up with you, for he'd think you was proud and biggetty.

"Ef you want to come out of the mountain whole, don't go past Tom's cabin without stopping, whatever you do"—Youth's Companion

MARY GROGRN, HEROINE.

All honor to Mary Grogan! No "who's who" of the future can claim to be complete without her. She deserves a niche in some exclusive hall of fame. Her deeds should be embalmed in a national song. Her portrait might well adorn a stamp or a coin.

Mary is the New Jersey servant who, having served as cook for 50 years, is made the heroine of as strange an anniversary observance as the news dispatches ever recorded. All the Grogans and all the Prices—the latter being those for whom the cook cooked for half a century—gathered about the festive board and ate to the continued health and culinary skill of their patron saint Her smiling countenance was the central feature of the decorations: her rippling laughter played an obligato with the orchestra stationed in the alcove.

How envious, how futilely and pitifully envious, must be those housekeepers who find themselves under the necessity of hiring a cook every third week! To their weary minds the figure of Mary Grogan must appear like that of George Washington, distant, hazy in outline, surrounded by a shifting cloud of tradition and uncertainty—less a real person that an ideal conception. But Mary is in reality living and still hearty May she cook for another half century —Cleveland Plain Dealer

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THE MARRIAGE OF CRIMINALS.

(Springfield News.)

It is pretty well agreed among students of sociology that criminals ought not to be permitted to marry Nearly all writers upon the subject tell of the evil effects of such marriages and of the tendency of the children of such unions to inherit criminal taints. But very little has been done so far to prevent such marriages. That is why the recent record of Judge Warren W. Foster, of New York, is attracting so much attention

Judge Foster was not known as a student of sociology until the other day when he sentenced a young criminal to two and a half years in the penitentiary, for a crime of which he had been legally convicted The boy was young, and it was his first offense, and his friends requested the judge to suspend the sentence, making the statement at the time that the young fellow was to be married at an early date and that it was believed that he "would then settle down"

Judge Foster said that he would suspend the sentence; that the boy might depart in company with his parents, but that immediately upon his marriage he would have him re-arrested and sent to the penitentiary. He gave the boy a lecture in which there was a good deal of wisdom. He said that no person convicted of a crime should be allowed to marry, and in this case he was going to see to it that the young fellow did not marry, or, if he did, that he was sent to the prison for as long a term as the law allowed. Of course, the boy has not married, and there is no indication that he will do so with this two and a half years' sentence staring him in the face.

Marriage is coming to be considered more of a privilege than a right. Society is coming into her own. It is realizing more and more that every child born into the world is subject to society, and that being the case, society is learning that it is the business of society as to the parentage of the child.

In other words, it is everybody's business when a marriage is proposed. A man may no longer say that it is nobody's business but his and the woman's And so long as the offspring of a union is liable to be a burden on society, society ought to have a right, and in the future it is going to take the right, of saying who may and who may not marry.

So far as the statement of the friends of the boy mentioned above, to the effect that he would marry and settle down, is concerned, there is nothing in such statements. There may have ben isolated cases where men became different men after marriage, but as a general proposition marriage does not change human nature. A married man may feel the burden of his responsibilities, and make greater efforts to be a successful man than he would if he had no such burdens, but as a rule marriage makes little change in people. That is to say, marriage does not make honest people out of thieves. It doesn't even make sober men out of drunkards. It doesn't make agreeable men out of mean ones, nor generous men out of misers. It's all in the man, nothing in the ceremony.

But that is not to say that a married man is not influenced by his wife Of course he is, and the better man he is before marriage, the more he will be influenced by the woman. A good woman will make a better man out of a good one, but she will not be able to make a good man out of a bad one. It is impossible for a man to have a higher regard for a wife than he has for himself, and if he hasn't the self respect to be decent, he isn't going to have sufficient respect for his wife to be decent.

THE UNITED STATES IN 2009.

What will be the destiny of the United States?

The answer ot this can be supplied immediately by a comparison with the Roman empire. The establishment of Constantinople as the capital of the East, and the Eastern empire's separation from Rome, are paralleled in the story of the American revolution. We may look, then, for a progressive decline in the strength of England, in inverse ratio to our own increasing power; Australia, already American in her political organization, will gravitate, with Canada, into the Union, finally the English-speaking people will be reunited under American auspices. That is as far as we can look forward legitimately.

America will be absorbed in the solution of her social problems. Democracy, which has never really existed, will be coming into its own; and with its advent will disappear the comedy of representative government which, tried out through several centuries in the classical world, and found wanting, is destined to receive its coup de grace upon American soil.

The battle of Socialism will be upon us, to be solved, probably, after some considerable bloodshed, by a sudden illumination of common sense The loose, haphazard productive methods of today, and our costly and faulty manner of distribution, will have to be organized to prevent their complete breaking down.

The solution of this tremendous problem, which will be precipitated by the sudden failure of foreign markets when manufacturing and prohibitory tariffs are universal in all countries, will occupy our attention for at least a century to come.

By the year 2009, therefore, no radical changes will have occurred upon the map of the new world.—Henry Paradyne in Harper's Weekly

After Marriage.

"He used to send me ten letters a week"

"Well?"

"And now he can't even bring home one pay envelope."—Washington Herald.

at the Musicale.

"Why do they talk so when the professor is playing?"

"Oh, very few have the fortitude to suffer in silence, I suppose" Kansas City Journal.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Of the Lima State Hospital Will Award Contracts Today.

WILL BE FINEST IN THE WORLD.

Institution Planned to Relieve All Other State Hospitals.

Columbus, April 16.—Bids for the completion of five buildings were opened and contracts will be awarded today by the trustees of the Lima State hospital, who are in session in this city, meeting in the office of Frank L. Packard, architect, in the New Hayden building. The trustees say they will be able to award the contracts at a figure considerably below the appropriation made by the last legislature, $250,000 It is contended that when completed, this will be the finest hospital for insane in the world, as it is the only one which has ever been built in accordance with a well devised plan and system. All the rest have been pieced together. This, from the first, has been conceived upon big lines.

Buildings already completed are those to the west, while the bids just opened take in the group to the east and the domestic group which will be located to the north. The general plan contemplates three groups, each around an open quadrangle, or court, and all connected by corridors. Each side of each quadrangle is to have five cottages in it. The hospital is to relieve all the other hospitals in the state and to care for all of the recognized seven classes of mentally deficient, including epileptics and criminally insane.

AMERICAN TRADE VICTORIES.

Andrew Carnegie and Charles M. Schwab, both men of substance and understanding in the iron and steel trade, have recently spoken of the ability of American steel makers to compete with foreign steel makers. Bearing on this, two late news items are significant. A dispatch from Bethlehem, Pa, said:

"Bethlehem Steel Company's New York sales office received a cablegram announcing that the works here had received a contract from the Argentine Republic for three battleships at a cost aggregating $20,000,000

"The battleships are to be of the most approved type, in advance of the English Dreadnoughs and surpassing even the American Delaware. The bid of the Bethlehem steel works on this business was one of the boldest strokes of enterprise in the industrial history of the United States. The securing of the contract by Mr Schwab places the building of the great Argentine men-o-war entirely in his hands and he will receive bids for their assembling from all shipyards on the eastern coasts"

The following cable came from London yesterday.

"The Glasgow Corporation has accepted the tender made by the Lorain Steel Company of Ohio to supply tram rails and fish plates at £6 2s per ton, landed at Glasgow harbor. The next lower tender was from an English firm who had hitherto supplied nearly all of Glasgow's requirements in this way. Their tender was £8 10s for rails and £12 10c for fish plates. The American firm's offer is considered astonishingly low by Scotch experts especially when the cost to transport to seaboard from the company's works and across the Atlantic is considered."

All of which inclines to prove that American iron workers know a few things about the iron business.—Washington Star

READY FOR HIS LAST DAY.

General Miles tells a story of a corporal in a regiment under his command in the old Indian fighting days This corporal was much chaffed by his comrades for his oft repeated expressions of belief in "fatality" and "destiny."

One day it appears that the corporal, while off duty, was preparing to take a little horseback exercise and recreation. A private observed that the corporal took care to attach a brace of pistols to his saddle.

"Hello!" shouted the private to the corporal "What are you taking the guns for? They won't save you if your time has come!"

"True for you," grimly responded the corporal; "but I may happen to meet an Apache whose last day has come"

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble Do not be fooled into accepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Koltner, Prop.

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A convincing laugh jag with music frills.

Prices—Bargain Matinee, 50c and 75c. Children, 25c. All seats reserved. Night, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and a few $1.50.

Seats ready Friday, 9 a. m.

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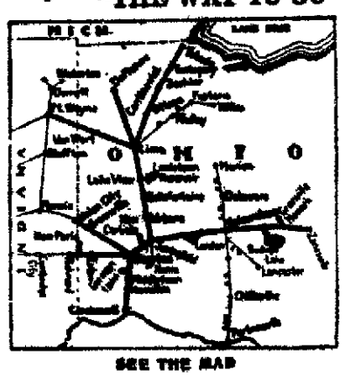

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William McCarey, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Executrix of the estate of William McCarey, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1909.

MARY M'CAREY, Executrix.

Mackenzie & Woodruck Attorneys for Executrix.

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Eminently proper garments, choice fabrics, absolutely correct fitting shapes, single and double-breasted styles.

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Look over this Shirt showing. It's a wonderful display and there is no other such Shirt choice in this section for variety of patterns for perfection of fit and excellence of workmanship. They are the best Shirts made at—

50c to $1.50.

SPRING NECKWEAR—

Fine Spring Neckwear in big profusion All sorts of good stuff Perhaps you'll take to cross stripes maybe you care more for panel effects or diagonals They're all here in rich handsome silks—

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Men's superior grade Balbriggan Lisle Thread and Medium Weight Underwear Matchless Values—

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OF ESTABLISHED MERIT.

Boys clothes in their bright new fashions and choice styles are now making their debut We present values that will show any mother how she can clothe her boy here in the best clothes and with decided economy See the new smart colors in Sailor and Russian Suits Norfolk and two-piece double-breasted styles A wonderful display at—

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As ever we're devoted to giving greatest hat values in the land No matter what your hat notion may be we'll fit it and your head perfectly The display is the biggest most liberally selected and most fashionable you ever saw Every new shape and color shown in

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Dress Shirts

Men's Percale and Madras Dress Shirts excellent values—

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Boys good quality school waists all sizes

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Suspenders

Men's and boys elegant quality Suspenders

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5 Cents.

AMERICA'S GREATEST OUTFITTERS.

THE DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS AND SUIT HOUSE.

Friday, April 14, 1916. Weather—Fair. [illegible] E. Main Street.

Women's and Misses' Spring Jackets, Special for Saturday $3.98 each.

For Saturday's selling we offer 15 Women's and Misses' New Spring Jackets, made up of strictly all wool worsteds, in tan and gray, 27 to 36 in. length styles, unlined, with tailored collar and patch pockets. These are most desirable Jackets for spring wear, and are really indispensable for summer wear with thin dresses. $5 and $6 have been their regular selling prices, for Saturday we have marked them **$3.98 each.**

We're After Your Hosiery Trade, We'll Get It, Too, With "Cadet" Hosiery.

There's a reason why Cadet Hose are better. They are made of cotton with a thread of linen running throughout the entire Hose, besides that, in children's Cadet Hose the knees, heels and toes are pure linen—all linen. In Men's and Women's Hose the heels and toes are all linen, making them much more serviceable than any cotton Hose on the market. Try "Cadet" Hose and stop darning.

"Cadet" Hose for Women come all ribbed, or plain with ribbed top, all sizes, **at 25c pair.**

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"Cadet" Hose for Misses come fine ribbed, all sizes, at **25c pair.**

"Cadet" Hose for Boys come heavy ribbed, all sizes, at **25c pair.**

Special for Saturday—Women's Gauze Lisle Hose, garter top, double sole, high spliced heel, black or tan, **25c pair.**

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Scotch Dress Ginghams in lavender, blue, tan, and brown stripes, all new styles, **special at 15c yard.**

10c Tennis Flannel, light colors, **8c yard.**

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White Waistings, of Madras, Poplin and Sheer materials, many new styles, **12½c, 18c, 20c to 50c yard.**

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Wool Sweaters in red, gray, white, and white with blue trimming, infants' to 4 yr. sizes at **50c, $1.25 and $1.50 each.**

Children's Spring Jackets of all wool cloth in red, blue and fancy mixtures, 2 to 6 yr sizes at **$2.50 to $6.50 each.**

Children's Rompers in an extra good quality of chambray gingham, pink or blue, with white piping, 1 to 6 yr. sizes, **50c.**

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits of gingham and linen finish suiting, 2 to 4 yr. sizes, **88c, $1.00, $1.38 and $1.50.**

Women's Kid Gloves--All Styles.

Women's Kid Gloves, two clasp style, in white, pearl, mode, tan, champagne, light gray, taupe, navy, brown, red, green and black, **at $1.00 pair.**

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NOT SUPERSTITIOUS

Thirteen New Members Initiated Into Lima Elks Last Night.

REPORT MADE BY COMMITTEE

Which Had Charge of Fair and Large Sum Turned Over to Lodge.

Thirteen may be an unlucky number but the men who constituted the large class initiated into the lodge of Elks last night did not diminish on account of that, and thirteen of them walked bravely up and went through the mysteries of initiation

The class included Frank L Lamberton, Thomas D. McLaughlin, Chas. Deeds, Edward Reel, Edw Neff, Dan F O'Connor, Frank A Clark, Aaron Shank, J W Custenbordor, Charles Phillians, H D Kaufman, John P. Conners, and H M Mounts.

During the business session a complete and detailed report was made by the Elks fair committee and the proceeds, amounting to $16,477 10 turned over to the treasurer. The report gave an account of the expenditure of every penny which had been paid out by the committee, the whole amounting to $6,000, and leaving the splendid sum mentioned above to go toward the contemplated new building.

The plans for the new home were not ready to be submitted last night but the architects hope to have them completed and ready for the entire lodge to see by next Thursday night. They are very detailed and will give a complete picture of the building, and everything in connection with it. A social session closed the evening, and a very full attendance marked the evening

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

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MANY VISITORS

Will Attend Regular Meeting of Medical Asso.

The arrangements made by the Allen County Medical society at their last meting to have an open meeting next Tuesday night, have been practically concluded.

As soon as it was found possible to have Dr. D R. Silver, state president, and who lives at Sidney, present for the meeting, it was decided to invite the neighboring physicians who constitute the Hardin County Medical society to meet with the local associations. The meeting will be held at the usual rooms at the City hospital, on the regular meeting date, April 20th

The program arranged for the date will be carried out and the visitors will make a tour of inspection of the hospital during the evening

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NORTHERN LEAGUE

Succeeded in Taking the First Game of Series from Locals.

TWIRLER MARION ALLOWED NO HITS.

Exhibition One of the Best Ever Played on Local Grounds.

They were treated to one of the prettiest contests ever played on local grounds in the game between the Duluth and Lima teams at San Felice park Thursday afternoon. The play was started promptly at three o'clock with Krohe in the box for the locals, and neither side scored until the fifth inning when Sullivan, of the visitors, manager to get in front of the ball and was sent to first, following which a stolen base, sacrifice and error put him across [illegible]te. The locals succeeded in g[illegible] a man [illegible] third but could not connect with Marion's curves and were let down without a hit during the game. Pennybaker was put in on the firing line for Lima in the sixth and had five strike-outs to his credit during the four innings he worked.

The work of the visiting pitcher was remarkable, and his support behind the bat was full of ginger, little Cooper coaching the big twirler at every stage of the game, and at the same time jollying the batter. Halt, who joined the visitors from Cleveland, worked in center field, and made an excellent showing in spite of the fact that he muffed the first one that came his way, but followed with five put outs to his credit.

The locals all worked well, but were up against it in being unable to land on the ball at any time. Anthony, the new fielder-catcher played the right garden, but did not have much opportunity to show his ability.

Following is the game in detail:

First Inning—Smith was up first for the visitors and was retired on a grounder, Farrow to Sykes. O'Brien knocked a hot one which was headed by Newnham from deep short, but Sykes dropped the ball; McCrone popped one out to Fink and O'Brien was caught stealing second. No runs.

Farrow walked, Newnham landed safe on an attempt to retired Farrow on his grounder, Fohl sacrificed Sullivan to McCrone. Foutz struck out and Fink was retired on a bunt, Cooper to McCrone. No runs.

Second Inning—Halt put a slow one to Krohe and was retired at first. Sesser was hit. Sullivan flew out to Foutz. Shelly was landed by Sykes unassisted on a grounder. No runs.

Sykes flew out to Halt, Weller popped one to Smith, and Anthony was retired on a bunt, Cooper to McCrone. No runs.

Third Inning—Cooper was retired on a short but to Krohe, Marion flew out to Foutz, Smith struck out. No runs.

Krohe put a high one out to Smith. Farrow fanned, Newnham landed safe on Halt's fumble of a fly, and Fohl followed on Sullivan's error but Foutz fanned again. No runs.

Fourth Inning—O'Brien hit to center for two bases, McCrone sacrificed Krohe to Sykes, Halt reached first on fielder's choice and O'Brien was caught at the plate. Sesser popped out to Foutz. No runs.

Fink and Sykes each put a grounder to O'Brien and were retired at first. Weller knicked a high one to Halt. No runs.

Fifth Inning—Sullivan was hit, stole second, Shelly sacrificed, Fohl to Sykes, Cooper landed on Farrow's error and Sullivan scored. Marion sacrificed, Farrow to Sykes and Smith was retired, Weller to Sykes. One run.

Anthony flew out to Halt, Krohe was the victim of McCrone unassisted and Farrow fanned. No runs.

Sixth Inning—O'Brien popped one to Farrow, McCrone hit safe to center, Halt fanned, and Sesser popped out to Fink. No runs.

Newnham was retired on a hot grounder O'Brien to McCrone, Fohl flew out to Smith and Foutz duplicated to Halt. No runs.

Seventh Inning—Sullivan walked, Shelly and Cooper fanned, Marion was retired Penny baker to Sykes. No runs.

Fink was retired Sullivan to McCrone, Sykes popped one up to Cooper and Weller was retired on a short bunt, Marion to McCrone. No runs.

Eighth Inning—Smith flew out to Fohl, O'Brien followed suit to Foutz and McCrone duplicated to Sykes. No runs.

Anthony reached first on Sullivan's error, Pennybaker flew out to Marion, Farrow put a liner to McCrone and Anthony was caught off of first. No runs.

Ninth Inning—Halt and Sesser fanned, and Sullivan flew out to Anthony. No runs.

Newnham flew out to Shelly, Fohl to Halt and Foutz fanned again. No runs.

The score:

LIMA.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Farrow, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	1
Newnham, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
Fohl, c	3	0	0	7	3	0
Foutz, cf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Fink, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Sykes, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	1
Weller, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Anthony, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Krohe, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Pennybaker, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	0	0	27	11	2

DULUTH.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Smith, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
O'Brien, 2b	4	0	1	1	3	0
McCrone, 1b	3	0	1	10	1	0
Halt, cf	4	0	0	5	0	1
Sesser, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, 3b	2	1	0	0	2	2
Shelly, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Cooper, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Marion, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	27	1	2	27	9	3

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lima	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Duluth	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1

Two-Base Hit—O'Brien. Sacrifice Hits—McCrone, Shelly, Marion, Fohl. Hit by Pitcher—Sesser, Sullivan. Bases on Balls—Off Pennybaker, 1, off Marion, 1. Struck Out—By Krohe, 1; by Pennybaker, 5; by Marion, 5. Left on bases, Duluth, 5, Lima, 4. Stolen Bases—McCrone, Sullivan 2, Newnham, Fohl. Time of Game—1:35. Umpire—Garvey.

GAMES TODAY.

National League.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
St. Louis at Chicago.

American League.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Washington.

American Association.
Toledo at Indianapolis.
Columbus at Louisville.
St. Paul at Milwaukee.
Minneapolis at Kansas City.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Cincinnati, 7; Pittsburg, 2.
Brooklyn 3, New York, 0. 13 Innings.
Chicago, 10; St. Louis, 4.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, too wet.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won	Lost.	Pct
Chicago	2	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	0	1.000
Boston	1	0	1.000
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Pittsburg	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	0	1	.000
New York	0	1	.000
St. Louis	0	2	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Cleveland, 4, St. Louis, 3.
New York, 4, Washington, 1.
Detroit, 3; Chicago, 1.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, too wet.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	Pct
Detroit	2	0	1.000
Cleveland	2	0	1.000
New York	2	1	.667
Boston	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Washington	1	2	.333
St. Louis	0	2	.000
Chicago	0	2	.000

AMERICAN ASS'N.

Yesterday's Results.
Toledo, 2; Indianapolis, 1.
Louisville, 3, Columbus, 2.
Milwaukee, 3; St. Paul, 2, 10 Innings.
Minneapolis, 6, Kansas City, 2, 12 Innings.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Minneapolis	2	0	1.000
Milwaukee	2	0	1.000
Louisville	2	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	1	.500
Toledo	1	1	.500
St. Paul	0	2	.000
Columbus	0	2	.000
Kansas City	0	2	.000

HEADY CATCHERS

Succeed in Holding Runners Close to Bases.

One of the prettiest plays in a ball game is the catcher snapping the ball to a base and catching a runner asleep at the switch. It is without doubt one of the best of many good defensive plays.

Judgment should always be exercised in trying for a man off a bag. If he is a careful man on the paths it is almost foolhardy to try to land him. If, on the other hand, he is a baserunner of the Cobb caliber, the chances for nipping him are very good.

If the play is attempted with a careful man on the base it tips the team's hand off to the opposition and the "wild men" are cautioned to be careful. The only advantage in this instance would be that the runners would stick closer to the bag.

The play can be worked successfully as often as it fails, but it depends upon the pitcher as the catcher, although this is not evident to the casual observer.

The catcher signals the pitcher that he will try for the runner, and it is up to the pitcher to hand up a pitch-out ball. Of course if the ball is landed up four or five feet wide of the plate it is an easy matter for the runner to get wise to what is on the program and he doesn't take many liberties with the catcher. With the ball thrown so wide of the plate it is almost impossible for the catcher to make a quick throw to catch the runner.

If the pitch-out is four or five inches wide of the plate or just wide enough to get the batter on edge and he begins to edge out with his bat when he sees it is a little too wide, he renigs, that's what the men trying to make the play want. The baserunner seeing the batsman preparing himself to take a swing at the ball ventures away from the base a little more and when the batter permits the ball to go by without offering at it, the runner has to hump some to get back to the base before the catcher can nail him.

MANAGER FOX

Says Lanks Will be in the Running.

Manager Fox, of the Lancaster, Ohio State team, announced that the following line-up would commence the game for the champs: Brown, second; Reynolds, first; Humphrey, shortstop; Carter, right; Lallier, third; Mohler, left; Corvin, middle; Piper and Williams, catchers; Ruttencutter, Brooker, Pierce and Cochran, pitchers.

"I'm unable to state anything concerning Lancaster's chances in the Ohio State league race this year," said Manager Fox when seen at the Hotel Rogge in Zanesville yesterday. "Most of the players in the league are strangers to me. The Lanks can be depended upon to be in the running from the start."—Zanesville Signal.

CROKER

Threw First Ball from Box Thirteen and New York Lost in Thirteenth.

New York, April 16.—The thousands of New Yorkers who united in a wail of woe at New York's defeat by Brooklyn in a 13 inning game as an opener to the National league season yesterday have discovered the reason why—at least the superstitious ones are sure of it. It develops that the ball which Richard Croker, the ex-Tammany leader, threw onto the field—for the game was hurled from box 13. Few thought of the incident at the time, but when New York went thirteen innings without a run, and then down to defeat. The sensation sprung in yesterday's game is expected to attract another record breaking crowd to the polo grounds today when New York and Brooklyn again cross bats.

FAITH AND DOUBT.

Looking backward over his long pathway through bordering mysteries, man himself has been brought to see, time and again, that what was his doubt was his ignorance; what was his faith was his error; that things rejected have become believed, and that things believed have become rejected, that both his doubt and his faith are the temporary condition of his knowledge, which is ever growing; and that read him faith and doubt ever will, but destroy him, never.—James Lane Allen.

Standing:—Crandall, Schlei, Ames, Marquard, Murray, Mathewson, Seymour, Wiltse, Doyle, Meadgrass, Tenney, Myers, Shafer, Devlin and Latham. Sitting:—Herzog, Bridwell, Raymond, McGraw, O'Hara and Robinson.

GRAND RAPIDS TEAM

Scheduled to Appear at San Felice Park Sunday and Monday.

CAPTAIN O'BRIEN IS IMPRESSED

With the Strength of the Local Ohio State Representatives.

Manager Dunnigan has completed arrangements for two more games with the Grand Rapids team, which will be played at San Felice park Sunday and Monday. The comparative strength of the clubs assures close contests and the managers and good results in such exhibitions.

Captain O'Brien of the Duluth club was impressed with the strength of the local club in Thursday's contest, and stated that although the teams are in different classes, the quality of ball offered is nearly equal. The Duluth club ranks in class C, while the Ohio Staters are in class D.

In conversation with Manager Dunnigan, he stated that the local team would be found in the running this season, and that at any time a position was found lacking, the situation would be remedied immediately.

In the early training season, some of the fans are a trifle too critical but by the time the season opens, they will find Lima equipped with a strong line-up, and after that if any of the men fail to continue their good work, change will be made where required.

It is probable that a number of new men will report to Lima before the word is given on April 29, and it may be that some of the Columbus recruits will find a berth in the Ohio State league.

The showing of the Lima pitchers thus far is remarkable when we take into consideration the little amount of work that has been done, owing to the unfavorable weather, and it appears that Captain Fohl has ample material to choose from in this department, unless all signs fail.

Anthony appeared in right field in the contest Thursday, but had only one single opportunity to demonstrate his ability. At bat he has the appearance of a ball player throughout. He was recommended to the local management as a catcher and outfielders.

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WHAT THE WORLD THROWS AWAY.

"A Chinaman will live on what a Frenchman throws away, a Frenchman will live on what a German throws away; a German will live on what an Englishman throws away; an Englishman will live on what an American throws away." We are the most wasteful people in the world. This, says a writer in "Success Magazine," is so much the better for those who deal in our waste. The humble junk business, the trade of unconsidered trifles, has prospered in America more than in all other countries.

In Boston lives a dealer who has accumulated more than a million dollars, several of his competitors could sign checks in six figures. The leading dealer in Providence, who handles nothing but scrap iron, is worth half a million. Philadelphia has two junk millionaires and a cluster of near millionaires. One of these Philadelphia dealers has half a million invested in buildings and equipment alone. Ground in New York is too costly for many large warehouses or iron yards and most of them are located in New Jersey. Scattered over that state are a dozen dealers who have made fifty, one hundred, two hundred, five hundred thousand dollars from that which the metropolis has thrown away.

One of these New Jersey dealers recently bought the greatest "lot" of junk ever handled in the world's history—the old iron and refuse which the French abandoned at Panama. The original cost of this material was about twenty million dollars. What was the mere song he paid for it or how much he has made by selling off the scrap iron and metal no one has ever dared to estimate.—New York Times.

THREE

Cornered Suicide Pact in Which Negroes Were Actors.

New York, April 16.—That stereotyped occurrence familiarly known as the suicide pact had its variation here early today in a three cornered affair in which the principals were all negroes. All three are suffering from the effects of the strychnine poisoning and are in a critical condition. They were taken to Bellevue hospital late last night almost simultaneously after having been found on the street. The police believe there was an agreement between them to end their lives. The first victim was Dorothy Harris, a 19 year old negress, who was found in a semi-conscious condition in 24th street. Two hours later Jesse Brown, the janitor of a flat in front of which the woman was found, was picked up not far away and rushed to the hospital. A few moments later George Rector, another negro man was found in the same street writhing in convulsions. The condition of the three was to serious to permit of questioning this morning.

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With Any of Heavyweights Who Figure in Fighting Game.

New York, April 16.—A representative of the press spent two hours with Jim Jeffries, the retired and undisputed champion heavy-weight pugilist of the world, behind the scenes at the American Theater yesterday afternoon.

Whether Jeff ever intends to enter the ring again or not, he certainly is doing plenty of gymnasium work. He is also as [illegible]t as ever.

While [illegible] for his cue to go on the stage with Sam Berger, his sparring partner, he was asked:

"Have you seen the pictures of the Johnson-Burns fight in Australia, Jim?"

The big fellow only shook his head and said: "No." Then it was said to him, upon inquiry: "They show that Burns was entirely outclassed in every respect—height, weight and reach. It was nothing but a hugging match from start to finish, and was a poor excuse for a heavy-weight championship battle."

Then Jeffries was asked:

"What chance do you think Johnson would have with men like Corbett, Fitzsimmons, Sharkey, Ruhlin and the rest of that tough bunch, to say nothing of yourself, that you waded through?"

"They'd eat him up," was Jeff's reply.

It will be remembered that Jeffries beat all those fellows, as often as they cared to meet him, without ever being knocked off his feet. And he met them whenever they wanted to meet him.

He and Berger sparred three lively rounds, and when Sam came behind the scenes he was very glad to rest. Jim had caught him in the short ribs with one of his famous left swings a little harder than was intended—the kind that had Tom Sharkey wearing a plaster cast for more than two years. Sam's nose was also bleeding as a result of another left that he accidentally ran into.

Jeff was puffing a little and perspiring freely, but taking into consideration that the big fellow has not taken any exersise for four years his physical condition was remarkable. He weighs in the neighborhood of 240 pounds, and while his muscles are naturally a little flabby they are gradually roundiug into shape.

Before leaving Los Angeles on his present theatrical tour he was inclined to be a little corpulent, but that is gradually disappearing. A slackness of about five inches in the girth line of his trousers proves that he has been working some.

After his turn on the stage was over he put on a very broad rubber abdominal bandage, heavy woolen underwear and went to the rear of the stage, where he skipped the rope for 15 minutes without a let-up. He is an adept at rope-skipping, and as light and fast on his feet almost as a feather weight. In fact, he seems to be working for speed altogether.

After finishing with the rope he picked up a very light pair of dumbbells and did some fast shadow sparring for another 15 minutes. Then he and Berger got busy with the medicine ball and chest machines. In all he worked about an hour and got up a good sweat. He then has the night turn to do. Doing this twice daily is bound to bring its results. They can say what they wish, but the big fellow is certainly trying to get in condition. He said:

"I will talk fight to no man until I'm sure I am in good enough condition to defend the title that I would not lose for five times the amount they are offering."

When asked if he thought Stanley Ketchel was too small for Johnson, he replied:

"I'm afraid he is, although I'd like to see him knock Johnson's block off."

"Ketchel is there with the wallop. He knocked Philadelphia Jack O'Brien out for five minutes after O'Brien had cut him to ribbons for nine rounds," was suggested.

"Yes, but don't class O'Brien with this fellow Johnson," he replied. "He'll be a little harder to beat."

Jeffries and Berger give a clever sketch, and are called in front of the curtain several times after each performance, which proves the great fighter is still a public idol.

BOWLING LEAGUE.

Knights Won Two Out of Three from Buckeyes.

In the Brunswick league bowling race, the Knights won two out of three games in a close contest last evening, with an advantage of 26 pins. The score

KNIGHTS				Totals.
Stein	159	214	134	507
Anderson	152	154	150	456
McClain	199	174	161	534
Keller	180	142	173	495
Spencer	153	140	184	477
Totals	843	834	802	2479

BUCKEYES.				Totals.
Koch	150	167	215	532
Bathful	164	148	148	460
Herold	160	145	147	452
Fisher	149	224	150	523
Widland	187	148	161	496
Totals	810	832	811	2453

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MAN RULER OF OWN DESTINY

By Dr. Madison C. Peters

The ancient Greeks and Romans believed in what they called Destiny, the mysterious governing power. Pliny said: "Some people refer their successes to virtue and ability, but it is all fate." Cicero spoke of "luck" in connection with the Roman empire and generals as a settled thing. Caesar once, when crossing a stream told the pilot: "You carry Caesar and his good fortune." Alexander depended upon his "luck." Napoleon was always talking about his star. Cromwell had similar notions about destiny.

What is there in the idea of chance? Circumstances do combine sometimes to give men favorable opportunities for grasping precious prizes. As Shakespeare has it, "There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at its flood, leads on to fortune. But who controlled this tide?"

Chance comes and goes like all other opportunities in life, but the man who makes the most of it gets the greater benefit, and circumstances instead of being a hindrance, constitute the quarry out of which we are to get the paving stones for the road to success.

Successful Man Keeps Striking.

The successful man is not he who idly stands with arms akimbo set until occasion tells him what to do, but rather it is he who rolls up his sleeves strikes when the iron is hot, and keeps it hot by striking. "'Tis not in our stars, dear Brutus, but in ourselves, that we are underlings." That "fourtune is a fickle jade," that "it is more by hit than good wit," is the bugbear of the idle and languid.

Away with the crude notion that fortune is a blind goddess and "with her blind hand, she, blind, bestows her gifts." Robert Burns had the intelligence and enlightenment of our twentieth century when he wrote:

"To catch dame fortune's golden smile,
Assiduous wait upon her."

Success is won by doing the right thing at the right time, in the right way. Sir Walter Raleigh flung his lace jacket in a mud puddle and won a proud queen's favor. In nine cases out of ten the successful man is he—

Who breaks his birth's invidious bar
And grasps the skirts of happy chance,
And breasts the blows of circumstance,
And grapples with his evil star.

Your so-called "lucky fellows" are usually keen sighted men, who have surveyed the world with a scrutinizing eye, and who to clear ideas of what ought to be done unite the skill to execute their practical plans.

"Our remedies in ourselves do lie,
Which we ascribe to heaven, the fated sky
Give us free scope, and only backward pulls
Our slow designs when we ourselves are dull."

Sir Thomas Buxton said: "The longer I live the more certain I am that the great difference between men, between the great and the insignificant is energy, invincible determination, an honest purpose, once fixed, and then death or victory. This quality will do anything in the world, and no talents, no circumstances, will make a two legged creature a man without it."

An old Latin proverb says, "Opportunity has hair in front, but is bald behind. Seize him by the forelock."

Industry Man's Best Capital.

It is luck that gives the lawyer his clients, the physician his patients, the preacher his hearers, the merchant his business, the mechanic his labor, the farmer his harvest? Read the story of "Who's Who in America," 80 per cent of our great men were born in the backwoods and graduated from the University of Hard Knocks. Men like Edison atoned for their lack of schooling by grit and ambition and by making the most of their spare moments.

Stephen Girard, the second richest man in his day in America, who came here a poor immigrant boy, said: "I began life with six-pence, and believe that a man's best capital is his industry." John Jacob Astor began life as a peddler in the streets of New York. John D. Rockefeller worked as a porter in a machine shop and Andrew Carnegie began life as a messenger boy.

Men lose their luck by letting their energies leak out through bad habits and unwise projects. Nothing will ever turn up for which you have never striven. Luck blossoms on the tree of pluck. Whatever may be your native powers, ultimate success will never be attained without the most arduous, well directed, life lasting labor for self-improvement. The prize belongs to him who, with faith undying and with hope through thick and thin, keeps a-trying.

SERVIA.

Reports come from Vienna and London that King Peter of Servia is broken in health and that he and his family are preparing to leave Belgrade. The king's abdication, it is stated, is now being openly discussed in Servia, and there are already indications of the imminence of a revolution in favor of the establishment of a republic.

While King Peter has never been a monarch in a true sense of the word, his abdication, whether voluntary or forced, may have a serious effect upon the Balkan situation. Servia's bluster against Austria on account of the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina nearly precipitated a conflict which might easily spread quickly and involve all the great powers. The departure of the weak king from Belgrade will not simplify matters, but will rather tend to complicate them, if it is true that a revolutionary party is forming. Internal conflict in Servia is calculated to involve the powers in a comprehensive consideration of Balkan affairs, a subject which recent experience has shown to be fraught with the greatest difficulties and dangers. Sooner or later the powers of Europe must adjust the Balkan states to a more progressive and harmonious basis of both domestic and foreign relations. They are now the trouble breeders of Europe and they will continue to be until by pacific convention or military campaign they have been established upon a substantial footing.

A Servian republic, it is to be feared, would be no less troubled than the Servian monarchy has been. It is easy to foresee in such an organization the elements of discord, and should the state be put upon such a basis foreign intrigue for advantage would surely follow. Between the scheme of Austria on the one hand and Italy on the other for immediate territorial advantage and the ever present Russian influence making for the advancement of the Muscovite cause in the perennial effort to reach the open seas, republican Servia would indeed be the scene of unceasing diplomatic stratagems and plots. —Washington Star.

A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a healing salve for burns, sores, sore nipples and chapped hands Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TO DETROIT.

The first Sunday excursion of the season to Detroit will be given by the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Ry. Sunday, April 18th. Special train will leave Lima at 6 00 a. m. Fare for round trip $1.50. apr10-15

PRUNING TREES.

Beware of tree butchers. Have your trees, shrubs and vines pruned and trimmed by men who have studied and know their business, and who you know are reliable. Many fine and noble trees or young trees are ruined by bad pruning. Pruning of shrubs and trees is a thinning-out process which is invigorating unless carried to an extreme. It allows the remainder of the plant to receive the nourishment which is saved by cutting unsightly or unsymmetrical branches. A stronger growth is made possible in the rest of the plant. To get best results pruning should be had annually, thus removing all superfluous wood and better preserving the health and shape of the plant.—Scranton Times.

THE STAGE.

Charley Grapewin Coming.

It is something over four years now since Charley Grapewin took up the stellar role in "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp" and the announced fact that the present one bids fair to be the greatest in financial returns he has yet had, indicates that the many performances he has given of this play have been marked with success else he would not now be written down close to the top of the list of popular favorites who have won favor in plays of musical flavor. Grapewine and Mr. Pipp are the announced attraction for the Faurot next Saturday afternoon and night, and neither star, or play need the aid of fulsome puffery, they are both too well known and this season Mr. Grapewin has gathered about him a more than clever company; he has added new and attractive songs, retaining also the best of the song hits of former years. It is difficult to coin new phrases of encomium for an attraction that has drawn the best efforts from the most competent critics all up and down the land. Even, as good as ever is sufficient to say of it good as ever is sufficient to say of it. One thing certain when the final curtain falls on "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp" the play will go down into theatric history with a record that will have laughter written all over it in bold letters. Seats may be reserved for both matinee and evening.

"Parada."

No regular attraction of the present season has succeeded in attracting the attention commanded by that colossal undertaking of our Fower Mission who will present this beautiful and entertaining pageant at the Faurot next week, commencing Tuesday evening. Upwards of two hundred persons will take part in the spectacle.

guard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

JUVENILE COURTS.

Among the various good things that come out of the west one is the juvenile court idea. For several years juvenile courts have been in successful operation in many parts of the country. They not only tend to keep children from being turned into criminals, they also humanize the judges and the court officials.

The degradation of the child creates the undesirable citizen. Corrupt tendencies cannot fail to be fostered by prison associations. This argument in itself seriously reflects on our prisons as at present conducted. It is becoming generally recognized that even the offender of mature age is further damaged by serving a term in prison. The man who comes out of prison a poorer specimen of humanity or a worse one than he was before, to that extent a greater burden on the social order. When that simple fact is accepted the work of the juvenile courts will offer suggestions for improvement.—New York Press.

NOTICE!

NATURAL GAS PATRONS: OWING TO SOME NECESSARY REPAIRS ON THE MAIN LINE EAST OF LIMA THE GAS WILL BE TURNED OFF THE CITY ALL DAY SUNDAY, APRIL 18. TWELVE TAPS OF THE FIRE BELL GIVEN TWICE WILL ANNOUNCE THAT GAS IS AGAIN TURNED ON. 9-4t

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RE-BUILDING OF MESSINA.

The reconstruction of the cities of Messina, Reggio, Palmi, Bagnara, etc., having been decided upon, the Italian government will, as soon as the debris left by the earthquake shall have been cleared away, direct the engineer corps of the civil state, or a special commission composed of members of that corps, to proceed to divide the areas selected for reconstruction into building lots, says Cement Age, a New York publication.

These lots will be bid for by Italian and foreign contractors who may wish to undertake the construction of new buildings thereon. Anticipating the time when the location and dimensions of the lots will be made known, the Public Works Co-operative society of Lombardy (Societa Co-operativa Lombardia di Lavori Pubblici) announces that it will hold a public competition to demonstrate the relative merits of various materials and methods of work and construction adapted for use in the devastated regions. While the competition will deal especially with types and systems of construction for urban, rural, and industrial edifices least likely to be affected by seismic disturbance, the widest latitude will be given competitors regarding their exhibits. They will be at liberty to submit designs, general proposals, reports, photographs, models, samples of materials, etc. Three prizes will be given: One of $579, one of $386, and one of $193. Exhibits must be sent to the College of Engineers and Architects (Collegio degli Ingegneri ed Architetti), No. 10 via S. Paolo, Milan, free of all costs. The Public Works Co-operative society of Lombardy reserves to itself the right of applying to its own ends, with or without modifications, any exhibits that shall receive prizes. In such cases, whether exhibits are protected by patents or copyrights or not, the society will make suitable arrangements with owners for compensation.

In addition to this competition and to others of similar character that may eventually be held, the Italian government will probably hold a special competition for the solution of purely technical problems. This competition will, however, only take place after the government shall have solved the grave financial and administrative problems that now demand its attention.

From present indications it seems likely that steel and reinforced concrete will be widely used in the work of reconstruction and that the height of buildings will be limited to 32.81 feet. It is also probable that only the very lightest materials will be used for floors, ceilings, and roofs.

American manufacturers should give this fact thorough consideration. They are believed to be in the unique position of being able to supply large quantities of material to fill a demand that can not be met by outside competition.

If possible, representatives carrying full lines of samples should be sent to the chief cities of Italy to confer with Italian contractors. Manufacturers should in any case not fail to send catalogs or samples of metal, paper, and asbestos ceilings, of woods for floors, and of roofing of rubber, paper, asbestos, fiber, felt, prepared or patented materials, sheet irons and protected tin, to the competitions of the Public Works Co-operative society of Lombardy, and to important Italian contractors (a list of which, forwarded by the consul, may be obtained from the Bureau of Manufactures).

Manufacturers should bear in mind that the mean temperature in Sicily in January is 52° F. and the mean temperature in July and August 78° F.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TO SPRINGFIELD.

The Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Ry. will give an excursion to Springfield and return Sunday, April 18th. Train leaves Lima at 8:15 a. m. Fare for round trip 75 cents. apr10-15

FEARS THE WHOLE FAMILY.

Mrs. Castro is moving, too. Apparently Venezuela fears the whole Castro family.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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Rapid Flow, 2 qt.	1.00	.75
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2 quart size	1.50	1.35
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TALCUM POWDER.

	Regular Price	Our Price
Mennens	.25	.15
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Wall Paper Cleaner—Climax 10c can, 3 for 25c.

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	Regular Price	Our Price
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Kings New Discovery	1.00	.90
Foley's Honey and Tar	.50	.45
Tonsaline	.25	.23
Castoria	.35	.30
Rocky Mountain Tea	.35	.30
Hall's Hair Renewer	1.00	.90
Lydia Pinkham	1.00	.90
Swamp Root	1.00	.90
Wahoo Bitters	1.00	.90
Pierces' Remedies	1.00	.90
Syrup Figs	.50	.45
Jayne's Vermafuge	.35	.30
Dandeline	.25	.23
Drake's Croup Cure	.35	.30
Mother's Friend	1.00	.90
Gray's Glycerine Tonic	1.00	.90
Maltine Preparations	1.00	.90
Quaker Herb Extract	1.00	.90
Kitchell's Liniment	.50	.45
Barker's Liniment	.25	.23
Bayer's Penetrating Oil	.25	.23
Hay's Hair Health	.50	.45
Lanes' Tea	.25	.23
Doan's Ointment	.50	.45
Doan's Kidney Pills	.50	.45
Cuticura Ointment	.50	.45
Black Draught	.25	.23
Resinol Ointment	.50	.45
Antiphlogistine	.50	.45
Antiphlogistine	.75	.65
Antiphlogistine	1.25	1.00
Scott's Emulsion	1.00	.90
Stewart's Dyspepsia	.50	.45
Stewart's Calcium Wafers	.50	.45
Listerine	.25	.23
Chamberlain's Colic	.25	.23
Listerine	1.00	.79

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FINE CHOCOLATES, 40c KIND TWENTY-NINE CENTS PER POUND. HALF POUND FIFTEEN CENTS.

A LEGAL GAP.

The return to the Metropolitan Securities company of $175,000 of the $965,000 paid by the New York combination for a corporation with no more than a paper existence presents a curious distinction between criminal and civil views of liability. It was revealed in the testimony on this point that the owner of the corporation got $250,000 for it, while the $715,000 in addition that made up the total price to the combination was distributed among five financial magnates, prominent in the organization, on the plea that it was to repay loans that they had made to W. C. Whitney.

In this transaction Mr. Jerome, the district attorney of New York, discovered nothing criminal, and that view seems to have received at least an indirect indorsement from so high an authority as Governor Hughes. But when the new control of the Metropolitan Securities company brought civil suit for the recovery of the money the defendants settled out of court by the repayment of the $715,000.

We have therefore the presentation of the allegations jointly concerning this transaction—first, that the division of funds by the means of swelling the price paid for an imaginary property was not illegal criminally; second, that the very same operation was so illegal in the civil view that the defendants paid over the money rather than stand trial. We have no intention of disputing that this divergence between civil and criminal law may exist. But to the ordinary man it will seem that a diversion of trust funds to private pockets that will not stand the test of a civil trial clearly ought to come within the reach of a criminal prosecution.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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"It is simply remarkable the interest that has been aroused in the Tour of Europe voting contest of The Times-Democrat, remarked a well known Main street merchant, yesterday, as he eagerly scanned the list containing the names and standing of the candidates. Probably no movement has been started in years that has aroused as much interest as The Times-Democrat contest to decide the winners of the four tours of Europe. It has created more interest, aroused more enthusiasm, and brought about more good-natured rivalry than any enterprise ever launched.

Not only are the contestants working eagerly and vigorously to secure votes necessary to make them the winners, but they are being supported by people of this section in a royal manner. Many of the candidates entered in the race report that many times during the day they are called up by phone or stopped on the street to take subscriptions from their friends that they have interested in their candidacy.

It is little wonder that a contest such as this excites interest and enthusiasm, as never before was an offer of such magnitude and liberality made to the ladies of this section. To take a five weeks' tour of Europe a "Cook tour"—and there is no finer that could be taken—with every expense borne, is an offer that has never been equaled in Northwestern Ohio. And the beauty of it is that it entails no expense or hardship upon those competing for the tours or those who aid them to be winners.

A special ballot or voting certificate is given to every person who makes a payment on subscription during the life of the contest, and they may cast the votes for whomsoever they please. The price of the paper remains the same as usual, and no extra charge is made for the votes.

Friends help those who help themselves and no candidates can expect their friends to vote for them unless the themselves show an interest in the contest, and let their friends know that they desire their support.

In entering this contest, no lady should feel that she will receive any undesirable notoriety or publicity. The friends who are in part responsible for the success that a candidate may attain are able to vote for her without any cost and while this contest is not a "popularity" contest, or a contest to decide the most "popular lady," yet the ladies who are successful in winning membership in the tour will be those who have hosts of friends, and who have ambition enough to let their friends know that they would like to take a trip to the old countries as a result of their own efforts.

Getting subscriptions should be, and is easy. In nine out of ten cases reported the candidates say all that is necessary was the asking. Every candidate should see her friends and ask them to give her the votes that will be given them if they make a payment on subscription during the contest, of $1.00 or more, and see how fast the votes roll up. Getting votes from subscription payments to The Times-Democrat is just as easy as breathing to those who have any friends at all. It is only those who are without friends, who make no effort to see those they have who are unable to amass a good vote.

While the leaders in the two districts in Lima have quite a number of votes and are making strenuous efforts to increase their standing daily, yet it would be easy for a new candidate to enter and by securing the votes given on three new 3-year subscriptions to go up near the top of the lists in districts No. 1 and 2.

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MISS GLADA ROBBINS, 514 North Jefferson Street	710
MISS BERTHA LANG, 123 North McDonald Street	910
MISS KATHRYN O'BRIEN, East NoWayne Street	1910
MISS PEARL JOHNSON, 320 North rth Street	1130
MISS CRETE SHULER, East McKibScott Street	1090
MISS MABLE CLARKSON, 327 Norben Street	760
MISS HAZEL AXLINE, 603 West Hth Jackson Street	590
MISS HELEN KELLER, 913 East High Street	510
MISS MARIE HIRSELAND, 339 North Charles Street	640
MISS ELENOR BELL, 211½ North Main Street	720

DISTRICT NO. 2.

MISS AMANDA STEMEN 1127 Forest Avenue	1570
MISS RACHAEL WICKERSHAM, 638 South Main Street	1670
MISS MAYME FENSTERMAKER, 544 McPheron Avenue	510
MISS DESSIE BOOSE, 529 McPheron Avenue	800
MISS HAZEL McCOMB, 418 South Jackson Street	780
MISS FRANCIS ROBERTS, [illegible] West Spring Street	1190
MISS BLANCH PHILLIPS, [illegible] East Kibby Street	1680
MISS BLANCH RED, South Baxter Street	810
MISS ANNA BOEGLE, 1015 East High Street	930
MISS ELIZABETH FITZSIMMONS, 444 South Pine Street	650
MISS CORA VAN HORN, 218½ South Main Street	2330
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MISS CORRINE MYERS, 734 South Broadway	510

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MISS URA TEMPLE, Bluffton	790
MISS BERNICE CORE, Westminster	640
MISS GRACE FETTERS, West Cairo	850
MISS URA PRATER, Lafayette	710
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MISS MARIE KENNEY, Beaverdam	850
MISS GRINDALE SMITH, Lafayette	670
MISS CECIL CREPS, Westminster	900
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MISS OPAL PRICE, Spencerville	600
MISS MARGARET WATSON, Spencerville	650
MISS EVA ROUGHY, Buckland	630
MISS ZOE CRITES, Elida	1000
MISS ZELYA COUNSELLOR, R. F. D. No. 1, Elida	850
MISS LEOTA REICHELDERFER, Cridersville	1060
MISS NANCY OEHLER, Spencerville	970
MISS MAY BRIGGS, Spencerville	820
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PORTO RICAN LOTTERY

(New York Times.)

An elaborate lottery plan in Porto Rico which has been in operation for the last six years without interference by the United States government, and which annually has taken out of the island more than $300,000, has just been brought to light in this city.

So carefully have the lottery men guarded their secret, however, that only at the present date have the facts been disclosed which show that a daily traffic in lottery tickets is being carried on between Porto Rico and the republic of Santo Domingo. According to reliable information the island is fairly honeycombed with agents of the society in Santo Domingo, and tickets are sold under the very noses of our government officials in the capital, San Juan, and in the various towns throughout the island.

The utmost secrecy has been maintained, and there is even suspicion that some of the customs officials may be involved. The parent organization which fosters this traffic is located in the adjacent republic of Santo Domingo. Its name in Spanish is "Almiga de los Pobres," or "A friend to the people." The society which maintains this institution is sanctioned by the government of Santo Domingo in aid of the poor of that island, and it is supposed to yield for them a generous income yearly.

According to Julius Pau, a former Santo Domingo merchant, who has retired from business and who is living in this country with his family, this is the way the scheme is worked:

A certain Spaniard about six years ago was chosen as agent and distributer of the lottery tickets in the island of Porto Rico. On the 15th day of each month he leaves Santo Domingo by a rFench steamer, taking with him many trunks which contain 6,000 lottery tickets. Two days later he lands at Mayaguez, Porto Rico, as soon as the ship gets to her pier, which is usually in the early morning hours. He has his trunks passed through as empty baggage, or, if he is suspicious of the officials at this port, he continues aboard the steamer until she arrives at Ponce. He sems never to have failed having them admitted there.

On landing this agent travels about the whole island, secretly distributing lottery tickets to his agents in the various towns, an especially large distribution being made in San Juan, the capital, where the lottery trade is unusually flourishing. After the tickets have been sold by the agent and the drawing made, he returns to Santo Domingo, taking with him the premium or prize tickets which have been paid for by the agents to the winners.

In order to avert suspicion the lottery agent tells the officials that he takes so many trunks into Porto Rico in order to purchase goods at San Juan, which he is taking back to a store in Santo Domingo. The trunks are marked on the consular invoices as "merchandise," and are consigned to the agent at Santo Domingo. He asserts that he resides in that republic, but that his family is today living in Mayaguez, Porto Rico.

For the last six years, it is declared, this man has been passing back and forth between the two islands, carrying on this trade, leaving Santo Domingo regularly on the 15th of every month and returning by the same steamer on the 5th day of the succeeding month. If he experiences any difficulty with the French line which brought him, he returns by the Spanish steamer Julia, of the Herrera line.

It is asserted that the whole lottery game is largely a swindle. The price for each lottery ticket in Santo Domingo is $2 in American money. Each ticket, however, when it is bought in Porto Rico is sold at from $3.50 to $4 in American money, thus yielding an enormous profit to the lottery concern. The largest prize is alleged to be $10,000 and the smallest $10, acording to the numbers on the tickets. There is a monthly distribution of 15,000 tickets, which shows the scale on which the operation is being conducted. The Santo Domingo concern makes 25 per cent profit on each distribution of tickets, and this is divided into three parts. Ten per cent is retained by the organization as clear profit, 5 per cent goes for expenses in forwarding the tickets to Porto Rico, and 10 per cent is paid to the agents in that island.

In addition to their 10 per cent the agents also make the difference in price of the tickets when sold in Santo Domingo and Porto Rico. This amounts to $1.50 to $2 on each ticket sold, or as much more as they can squeeze out of their purchasers. A further inducement, however, is also offered to the Porto Rican agents. Ten per cent additional is paid to the agent for apying the premium on prize-winning tickets, so that it is almost impossible to palce a limit on their share of profits.

The man who has been conducting this lottery operation for the last six years is described as wearing flashy clothes and being a typical gambler in appearance. He has a dark, swarthy complexion and his large, dark eyes peer out from behind gold-rimmed glasses, which he wears constantly. His hair is brushed straight back from his forehead and he has a thick black mustache. That he has not been found out sooner is only because he has had the backing of a powerful combination and because of the instinct for gambling so strongly implanted in the minds of a great many of the Porto Ricans.

DUST ON THE GLOBE.

Secretary of State Knox has found a colored messenger in his new office who knows something of geography.

Alongside of the secretary's desk is a great globe, standing almost six feet high. The other day Mr. Knox consulted it to see if it were really true that the sun never sets on our dominions nowadays or to learn something else of equal importance. The Pennsylvania statesman is the pink of neatness, and was somewhat irritated to find that the big revolving ball had soiled his coat sleeve.

"William, he said, sharply to the messenger and laying his finger on the globe, "there is dust there a foot thick."

"It's thicker'n dat, Mr Secretary," replied the negro with that familiarity that comes of mingling with greatness.

"What do you mean?" demanded the premier.

"Why you'se got yuh finger on de desert of Sahara."

Mr Knox did badly at trying to suppress a smile.

"You'll find some on the Atlantic ocean, too," he remarked, as he turned to his desk.—Washington Letter in Brooklyn Eagle.

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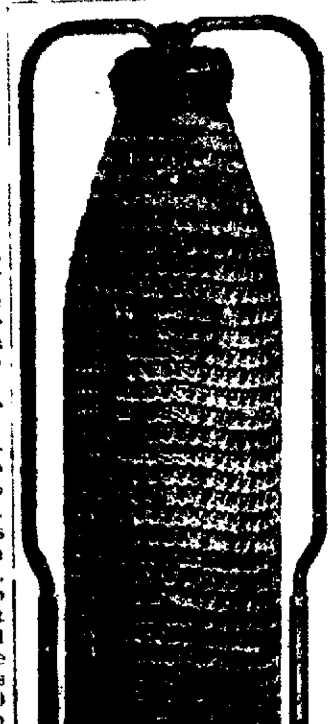

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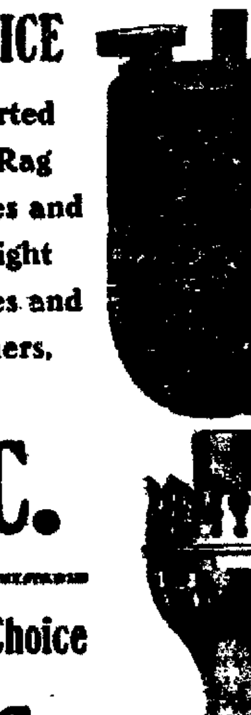

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"Now, Bobby, what is the second letter of the alphabet?"

"I dunno."

"Well, what is it that flies about the garden?"

"When?"

"In the summer."

"Oh, I know—mother after the chickens."—Philadelphia Record.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mary L. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary L. Smith, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1909.

WILLIAM F. POAGE, Administrator.

ap3-3wks sa-fri.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Clara C. Metzger, Deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Executrix of the estate of Clara C. Metzger, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 21st day of March, A. D., 1909.

HENRIETTA FRANCES METZGER.
By MINER A. ATMUR, Atty.
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EAST BOUND.

No. 24		1:17 a m
No. 6		7:05 a m
No. 18		8:32 a m
No. 16		1:27 p m
No. 30	Ex Sunday	2:39 p m
No. 22	Pullman	4:25 p m
No. 8		9:33 p m
No. 2	Ex. Fare	10:27 p m

WEST BOUND.

No. 13		1:47 a m
No. 15	Pullman	2:13 a m
No. 39	Ex. Sunday	9:02 a m
No. 23	Pullman	10:37 a m

2nd Section Coaches Ex. Monday.

No. 9	2:37 p m
No. 19	3:52 p m
No. 11	6:55 p m

ERIE RAILROAD.

East Bound.

No. 12	Daily	3:15 a.m.
No. 8	Daily	6:50 a.m.
No. 22	Daily Ex. Sunday	3:20 p.m.
No. 4	Daily	4:37 p.m.

West Bound.

No. 7	Daily	12:25 a.m.
No. 9	Daily	1:58 a.m.
No. 21	Daily Ex. Sunday	8:43 a.m.
No. 3	Daily	11:36 a.m.
No. 15	Daily	6:30 p.m.

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NORTHBOUND.

No. 12	Daily	2:05 a m
No. 2	Daily, Ex. Sunday	8:00 a m
No. 6	Daily	11:50 a m
No. 4	Daily	4:27 p m
No. 8	Daily	7:00 p m
No. 10	Daily, Ex. Sunday (Runs to Lima only)	9:45 p m
No. 60	Sunday only	6:45 a m
No. 68	Sunday only, (Runs to Lima only)	10:00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

No. 7	Daily	3:00 a m
No. 11	Daily Ex. Sunday	5:35 a m
No 1	Daily	9:10 a m
No. 5	Daily	12:35 p m
No. 3	Daily	4:00 p m
No. 9	Daily	6:40 p m
No. 63	Sunday only	5:35 a m

L. E. & W. RY.

No	West Bound.	Leave.
	Daily	9:15 a.m.
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East Bound.

Daily except Sunday	8:40 a.m.
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Lima	9:00	5:00
Gomer	9:17	5:13
*Jones City	9:23	5:21
Kalida	9:55	5:34
Dornington	10:05	5:39
Continental	10:25	5:52
Southerton	10:53	6:08
Defiance	11:15	6:30

SOUTH BOUND.	A. M.	P. M.
Defiance	6:30	1:00
*Southerton	6:52	1:20
Continental	7:08	1:50
*Dorington	7:21	2:10
Kalida	7:26	2:25
*Jones City	7:39	2:45
Gomer	7:47	2:55
Lima	8:00	3:15

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Chairs Patients in Hospital Witness Three Round Fistic Bout.

ATHLETES MET IN OPERATING

Room, the Whole Presenting a Wierd Sight to Visitors.

New York, April 16.—Three hundred patients, many of them reclining on stretchers or propped in wheel chairs, witnessed a three-round bout at Bellevue hospital last night. The boxing match was only one feature of a varied program given for the entertainment for patients by the Protestant Episcopal Charity Mission. It was a wierd sight as the halt and the lame, the partly blind and the maimed, both men and women, assembled in the room ordinarily used for operations, to witness the merry making. In other parts of the hospital lay the sick and the dying, but thick walls shut off all sounds from the ampitheater.

RAILROAD BREVITIES.

D. A. R. Special.

The special train to be run by the Pennsylvania from Chicago to Washington and return, for the benefit of the delegates and visitors to the annual convention of the D. A. R., will pass through this city as a second section of No. 22 today. The train will be a heavy one, and it will consist of ten or eleven coaches.

Increased Earnings.

Earnings from operation of the Ann Arbor and the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton during the fourth week of March, 1909, were given a big boost, the first named road reporting an increase of $6,563, as compared with the corresponding week of 1908, and the latter road an increase of $1,719. Of nine railroads reporting earnings for the fourth week in March and the first week of this month all show increases except one.

Large Sum in Prizes.

Pittsburg, April 15.—Nearly $11,000 in prizes will be awarded this year to employes of the Pennsylvania railroad company and various subsidary companies for excellence in track maintenance. Of this sum $5,400 will go to supervisors and their assistants on the main line between Pittsburg, Philadelphia New York and Washington, and the remainder will go to employes of the lines west of this city. The purpose in offering these premiums is to encourage those in charge of the tracks over which the bulk of the company's passenger trains are run to keep their sections as free as possible from irregularities that cause jars and discomforts to patrons.

To insure that the prizes will be awarded upon accurate data, a committee of maintenance officers has been appointed to go over the system every few weeks of the year, in a car attached to one of the regular high-speed trains. Two glasses of water are placed on the sills of two rear windows, and every spill of water is counted against the score of the section of track over which the train is passing.

To make the record even more accurate, an instrument has been specially designed to register every vibration of the car, either vertically or horizontally. This instrument, which is placed in the floor of the car, has two stems with a hammer on the end of each. These stems are of flexible steel, and vibrate, one vertically and one horizontally, at every jar of the car. The movements of the stems are recorded by pedometers giving the number of vibrations, while cyclometers record the entire distance covered by the vibrations for the trip. Thus a severe vibration record affects a greater cyclometer record than a slight irregularity.

The instrument does not indicate a low joint, the elevation of a curve or anything about the track more than its good and bad riding qualities, including line and surface. But when the record it makes is averaged with the number of pedometer readings and "spills" of water, and some allowance made for relative speeds, a fairly good estimate can be made of the riding qualities of the various sections of the track. Upon the records so arrived at the prizes are awarded.

To Abolish Associations.

One important effect of the Hepburn law may be the abolition of the great traffic associations. It is said that executives of leading railroads are considering the dissolving of these expensive associations and establishing in their stead bureaus in charge of secretaries. Before the Hepburn rate law becomes effective these associations were of great value to the railroads in ferreting out secret rate cutting, rebating and other deviations which had become injurious to the interests of the road.

Would Regulate Crew Sizes.

Washington, April 16. Several bills which have been introduced in congress during the special session provided for important changes in the regulation of railroads engaged in interstate commerce. The latest is a bill, drafted by Representative Dawson of Iowa, requiring crews of varying sizes to be carried on passenger, mail, express and freight trains.

Representative Hardwick of Georgia has just introduced a bill providing for the use of a block system for all trains engaged in interstate commerce. His bill further provides for the licensing of railroad telegraph hours of labor and wages.

Record Train.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 16.—A record train for the Big Four was hauled from Paris, Ill., to Terre Haute yesterday, when one engine brought in even 100 cars the 31 miles in 35 minutes. The cars were empties, 50 of them coal cars, 17 box and 3 flats. The train was six cars more than a quarter of a mile in length. The train weighed 1,711 tons and had a carrying capacity of 4,000,000 tons. Engine No. 6622 which hauled the train, is one of the largest on the road, and its cylinder is 23 by 32. The coal cars were distributed to mines near Terre Haute, and the box cars to Terre Haute factories.

Improve Wire Service.

The Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton is expending considerable money on the Cincinnati division in improving the telegraph service between Cincinnati and Dayton.

Report of Publicity Bureau.

Chicago, Ill., April 15.—Slason Thompson, manager of the national bureau of railway publicity, has issued a statement declaring the railroads of the country experienced a decrease of $330,000,000 in gross earnings during the year 1908 and sustained a loss of $129,330,460 in net earnings. The railways send this compilation out they say to correct the impression created by the report of the interstate commerce commission which put the decrease for the fiscal year ending June 30 at $163,000,000 gross and $111,000,000 net.

Thompson's statement includes an argument against 2-cent fare legislation. He declares that $25,000,000 was lost to the roads by the compulsory reduction in rates in some states, and hints that railroad building in those states received a setback.

The figures show that 854,255,537 passengers were carried as against 873,905,123 during the preceding year. The hauls were shorter, the average ride of the passengers in 1908 being 33.57 miles, while the average of the passengers in 1907 was 34.72 miles. Passenger travel has increased 192 per cent in twenty years and passenger revenue 140 per cent. Mileage has increased 95 per cent. Ownership of the entire railway system is in the hands of 430,000 stockholders.

Fatalities were decreased 1,392, the figures showing the total number of persons killed in 1908 to be 10,264, as against 11,656 in the preceding year.

Fast Freight Service.

The Lackawanna Fast Freight line now works business out of Indianapolis over the Big Four, the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton and the Lake Erie & Western, and is making the run from Indianapolis to New York in sixty hours as regularly as do the passenger trains out of the city from day to day.

(Boston Globe.)

For brilliance and color and as a demonstration of grace and beauty, the Grand Pacific and Carnival of Opera in four acts, which opened a week's engagement at the Tremont theatre last evening, has rarely been surpassed in this city.

The production is wholly amateur and shows how much latent talent there lies in and around Boston. The opening night was surely a success.

The Parada was in four acts and nearly 300 young men and women took part in some of its brilliant specialties. It consisted of gems and acts from popular operas, beautiful dances and marches, stage pictures, choruses and incidental tableaux which gave one a chance to study the rich customes. The whole was under the direction of Captain Charles W. Eddy, who has had years of experience in staging and presenting just such carnivals.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Woman's Charity club hospital, of Boston, a worthy institution.

The first part of the Parada was strongly operatic, the second act was a military scene, the third introduced a musical band of gypsies, with many pleasing novelties, and the fourth and last act consisted of a combination of ludicrous and spectacular specialties. Each act had something of unusual excellence.

Parada will be given at the Faurot opera house next week, four nights and Saturday matinee, commencing Tuesday for the benefit of the Flower Mission.

GEORGIA'S NEW CONVICT SYSTEM.

The abolition of the convict lease system by the state of Georgia is a cheerful note of progress in the South. It is also a tribute to the power of the press and the influence of enlightened public opinion.

One plank in the platform on which Joseph M. Brown was nominated for governor last June called for the extinction of the practice of leasing convicts to private contractors. This treatment of prisoners and the stories of hardship coming with persistent frequency from the convict camps have offeneded the moral sense of the people in and out of Georgia. It brought obloquy on the empire state of the South. The old system was baneful, vicious and degrading. It lacked every element of the reformatory spirit which should oners.

Under the new order the convicts will be employed in building and improving public roads. This is commendable, in that it provides wholesome work for convicts, reimburses the state for their keeping and brings to the people of the state the benefit of better highways.—Washington Star.

A NEW MACHINE FOR LAYING RAILROADS

A mechanical track layer which marches across the country building forty feet of railroad a minute is the latest triumph of construction engineers.

The new invention, which is considered the most important achievement in railroad work since the advent of the steam shovel, builds trackage, marches over it, builds more ahead, marches over it, and—presto, the railroad is built.

In average country the new machine can lay two to four miles of track a day. In an emergency it makes a half mile an hour. It has just been introduced on the Erie railroad in a forty-mile cutoff through the city of Turner, New York.

The machine consists of a locomotive, a train of flat cars and an overhanging veranda-like platform extending 68 feet ahead of the engine at about ten feet above the track. Around this overhanging projection runs an endless chain, which carries the ties. On the under side rails come out and at a signal drop to the ground.

The locomotive moves slowly but steadily along, dropping the ties at the regulation 18-inch distance. As these are straightened the rail comes down. The spikers have time to make tie and rail fast before the locomotive reaches them.

As the track is laid the engine runs over it. It's the same principle as a man crossing a muddy street with an armful of dry stones or sticks. He drops them ahead of him one at a time and walks ahead over them.

The additional ties and rails are carried on tram rollers on the train of flat cars the locomotive draws. These are drawn forward along the train by steam power.

The new machine was first used near Turner. On its first half day there was a crew of twenty Austrians who were unused to railroad work. Yet the machine demonstrated its usefulness by putting in 2,500 feet of track.

NEW YORK'S HORSE CARS

Once more the passing of the horse car in New York is announced. The New York horse car has made almost as many farewell appearances as an opera singer. But there is always one more left.—Utica Observer.

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MEN'S 25c BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR ... 12½c

Regular 25c quality Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, in all sizes, on sale Saturday at less than actual cost of production. Underselling price

12½c.

GENUINE STEVENS ALL LINEN TOWELING, YD. 7½c

18c inch wide Stevens, all linen Unbleached Toweling Crash, same as sold the world over at 12½c. On sale Saturday less than wholesale figure. Underselling price, yd.

7½c.

WOMEN'S EMBROIDERY TRIMMED NIGHT GOWNS 27c

Women's Muslin Night Gowns, with yokes of embroidery and hemstitched tucks. On sale Saturday at one-half less than other merchants pay for same goods. Underselling price

27c.

BEST LIGHT SHIRTING PRINTS, YD... 2 7/8c

Light Shirting Prints, all new patterns. Same as sold the world over at 7c. On sale Saturday at The Boston Store at actually less that mill cost. Underselling price, yd.

2 7/8c.

RUFFLED CURTAINS AT PAIR 14c

White Swiss Ruffled Curtains, of good laundering material, as good as other stores sell for double the money. Underselling price, pair

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WOMEN'S BEST 25c MUSLIN DRAWERS 15c

Women's Drawers, of good quality muslin, with rows of tucks and hemstitched or trimmed with torchon lace, less than wholesale Underselling price

15c.

BOYS' 25c AND 35c KNEE PANTS 12½c

Well made serviceable knee pants for boys, sizes from 3 to 16 years of age. Saturday at The Boston Store at less than cost of bare materials.

12½c.

WOMEN'S 50c AND 69c SHIRT WAISTS..... 29c

Neat pattern tailored effect, washable shirt waists, Shepherd check and figured designs, with trimmed fronts and cuffs. Underselling price

29c.

CHILD'S 10c BLACK RIBBED STOCKINGS 5c

Best 10c quality Boys' and Girls Black Hose ever sold in Lima. Good wearing stockings, sold for less than wholesale cost to most dealers. Underselling price

5c.

WOMEN'S SEERSUCKER GINGHAM PETTICOATS 29c

Underskirts of striped Seersucker ginghams, with deep flounce and button hole edges, same as others advertise as a great special for one-half more. Underselling price

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WOMEN'S 50c PERCALE DRESSING SACQUES 29c

Best 50c Dressing Sacques ever sold, come in blue, red and gray, all neatly braid trimmed, with collar, waist peplin and belt straps. Underselling price

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SILK PETTICOATS.

$6.50 Regatta Silk Underskirts, in all the wanted shades and black. Underselling price $2.98

EMBROIDERIES.

8c and 10c Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries, edging and insertings. Underselling price, yard... 3½c

LACE CURTAINS.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, in white and ecru, full length and with best $1.50 values. Underselling price, pair ... 95c

WOMEN'S PETTICOATS.

Long White Petticoats, with wide Swiss embroidery flounce, and inserting bands, also flounces of 10 rows of Val. lace. $2.50 and $3.00 Values.. $1.85

SILK AND NET WAISTS.

Large variety of Taffeta Silk, satin finish Messaline silk, and Brussels Net Waists, actual $4.00 and $5.00 values. Underselling price $2.98

SWANSILK POUGEES.

Beautiful range of shades in popular Swansilk Pongees for dresses and waists. Beautiful silk lustre, never sold less than 25c. Underselling price, yd 17c

SWISS FLOUNCINGS.

Wide Swiss Flouncing embroideries, and corset cover embroideries, best 35c and 45c values. Underselling price, yard 19c

WOMEN'S VESTS.

25c and 35c quality fine lisle thread Swiss ribbed Vests, silk taped and lace trimmed. Underselling price 15c

CORSET COVERS.

Women's Ribbed Knit Corset Covers, with wing sleeves, made to sell at 25c. Manufacturers' overproduction. Underselling price 9c

MUSLINS.

Yard wide unbleached muslins. Best 7c quality, yard 5c

CORSETS.

Women's 50c white batiste corsets, with four hose supporters 39c

GINGHAMS.

New spring dress ginghams and chambrays. Regular 12½c grades, yard 7½c

PETTICOATS.

Women's 98c embroidery flounced long white Petticoats. Saturday 53c

MEN'S SHIRTS.

Percale Dress Shirts, manufacturers' samples, worth 50c and 69c. Saturday 39c

WAISTS.

Women's $1.00 embroidery trimmed lingerie waists, with long tapering sleeves. 69c

BED SPREADS.

Large size white crochet hemmed bed spreads, usual $1.00 quality at 69c

LINEN LACES.

8c and 10c real linen laces, edgings and insertings, at yard 3½c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS.

Troy N. Y., manufacturers' samples, of madras and percale shirts, this season's best patterns, also hand laundered white pleated bosom shirts, $1.00 and $1.50 values 79c

BOYS' CLOTHING.

Sample lot of Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 16 years of age, including double breasted and juvenile styles, of all wool fabrics $3.00 and $3.50 values at $1.97

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Medium weight ribbed Shirts and Drawers, in cream, blue and brown. Best 50c Underwear ever sold anywhere at any time. Underselling price 35c

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New Silk Four in Hand Ties, latest patterns, cancelled order, made to sell at 25c and 35c. Underselling price 19c

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Men's Black Work Shirts, well made of twilled black drilling. Good 50c values in all sizes. Underselling price 29c

BOYS' CLOTHING.

Lot of best $1.50 Suits, made of good wearing clothes, all sizes, double breasted and fancy suits for little fellows. Underselling price 95c

BOYS' KNEE PANTS.

Worsted Knee Pants, also Bloomers and Knickerbockers, same as sold everywhere at 50c and 75c. Underselling price 39c

MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Lisle Finish Fancy Hose for men, all new patterns and colorings, also black, with silk embroidered coin spots 11c

Wonderful Sale of Women's New Spring Suits.

Women's new Spring Suits, makers' samples at about half price. About 75 suits, cancelled order of a large Brooklyn, New York Department Store—bought at about ont-half price. On sale Saturday the same way.

$12.50 Suits $7.95.

Novelty stripe Serge and Panama Suits in black and colors, newest long model satin lined coats, with patch pockets. Popular button trimmed flare skirts on sale Saturday at

$7.95.

$20.00 Suits $10.95.

French Serge, Chiffon Panama and Satin Prunella Suits—all the most leading styles and shades, only about enough for a busy day's selling in the lot. Suits actually worth $20.00, Saturday at

$10.95.

Notions at Underselling Prices.

Clark's O. N. T. Darning Cotton, Spool 1½c

8c and 10c Pearl Dress Buttons, Dozen 3c

White Tape, all widths, at roll .. 1c

5c Brass End, Tape Measures .. 2c

200 yd. Spools, Machine Thread 1½c

2 Sets of Celluloid Collar Supporters 3c

15c Dress Makers' Shears and Scissors 7c

9c Tooth Brushes, with good bristles 3c

$7.50 and $8.00 Dress Skirts on Sale Saturday at

$4.95.

Here's a skirt bargain that should not be missed. Skirts tailored of fine quality Black Chiffon, Panamas and Novelty Worsteds, also black all wool voile skirts, with satin folds. Never equaled anywhere at any time at our price $4.95

GIRLS' $3.00 NEW SPRING JACKETS, FOR $1.55

Pretty checked and Plain Covert Cloth Coats for girls, sizes from 2 to 14 years of age. Actual values up to $3.00. On sale Saturday at The Boston Store for

$1.55.

A Most Important Sale of Men's New Spring Suits.

Suits, tailored of fine worsteds, in the new shades of olives, browns and gun metals, best suit value ever offered at

$8.88.

MEN'S $18.00 AND $20.00 SPRING SUITS AT $12.95

Strictly high grade clothing—in every detail. A well known maker—after all spring orders had been shipped. Closed out this lot of suits at a heavy loss. The saving is yours. $18.00 and $20.00 Suits

$12.95.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S $10.00 SUITS AT $5.95

You can't match these garments anywhere at this price. They come in the new shades and patterns. Extremely great values at

$5.95.

MEN'S $2.00 WORSTED WORK AND DRESS PANTS 98c

Great lot of sample Pants, well made of serviceable worsted clothes in neat patterns, with belt straps and side buckles. Real $2.00 Pants. On sale Saturday at

98c.

CORSET COVERS.

Of fine Nainsook, with yoke of four rows of German Val lace, 50c and 75c values. 39c

SILK GLOVES.

Women's best 50c double finger tipped silk gloves, black, tan, brown, gray and white 39c

PETTICOATS.

Best $1.00 quality embroidered featherweight lustral Petticoats, black and colors. 69c

WAISTS.

Women's $1.50 and $2.00 new Swiss embroidered, white lawn and lingerie waists. 98c

HOSIERY.

Women's best 25c silk finish, gauze lisle hose, in black, tan, pink, blue and lavender. 19c

TOWELS.

Best 10c quality, large size Huck Bath Towels, with woven border. Saturday 6c

INDIA LAWNS.

Fine sheer quality, white India Linens, 19c grade. Saturday, at yard 12½c

W. B. CORSETS.

World Famous W. B. Dollar corsets, in new models, on sale Saturday at 59c

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